THE WEATHER
MONROE: Fair tonight; Friday partly cloudy, highest temperature near 98.
ARKANSAS: Partly cloudy, local thundershowers tonight and Friday.

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NAZI ARMY 32 MILES FROM LENINGRAD

Fair Enough by WESTBROOK PEGLER

Our friend, Hendrik Willem Van Loon, comes lumbering to the defense of his wounded comrade, Clifton Fadiman, the killingly clever pundit of the air, the screen and the printed page, but just what Mr. Van Loon defends him against I am unable to say. Mr. Van Loon, who calls himself a student of abnormal psychology, declares that I recently attempted to assassinate his comrade's character. I would be the last to deny that Mr. Van Loon is a student of, indeed an authority on, abnormal psychology, for he has had inviting opportunities to pursue his studies in the circle of his acquaintance and in the realm of introspection. Any man so obsessed would be bored by normal men and normal men, in turn, find themselves ill-at-ease or, in a word, ill, in the presence of abnormalities. Now that Mr. Van Loon mentions it, I realize that this could have been why I have always felt a robust aversion to this moist and buxom continental with his lacy mannerisms and his flouncing furies. The normal man simply cannot interest himself in the repulsiveness of abnormality, so I am utterly ignorant of Van Loon's specialty and rather glad of it.

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Possibly this boast of Van Loon's explains why he resents as character-assassination the simple presentation in print of some political sentiments which his comrade, Fadiman, wrote for the Communist publication, the New Masses. To the normal mind, a man's professed beliefs are his privilege and his boast. You do not charge a man with his professed beliefs, but Van Loon, his mind dwelling on the abnormal, seems to hold that there is something shameful in Mr. Fadiman's principles, noisily declared in Communist company in a Communist publication, and that it is vicious to take him at his word.

In presenting Fadiman's credo, which to me was incoherent, I did not suggest that it was a confession of guilt. I assumed that he would maintain his faith. I just quoted him back to himself and asked him if he recognized these sentiments and remembered who wrote them. Before

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EAST TO FACE STILL BIGGER GASOLINE CUT

Amount Will Be Reduced 15 Per Cent In September Below July

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Ralph K. Davies, acting petroleum coordinator, announced today that gasoline supplies for filling stations in the east would be reduced 15 per cent in September compared with July.

Davies' testimony opened a Senate investigation of threatened oil shortages. He presented a mass of figures which he said showed that the eastern coast faced an actual shortage of both gasoline and oil for heating and industry this winter.

"We want to find out exactly what the situation is," said Senator Maloney, Democrat, Connecticut, chairman of the inquiry. "Then we want to do what we can to relieve, remedy, or correct it."

Other senators privately predicted that the Senate probe would show there was no real shortage of gasoline or fuel oil, but merely a transportation problem that needed skillful coordination.

Price Administrator Leon Henderson took steps intended to keep gasoline prices at reasonable levels, issuing a table of "fair maximum retail service station prices" for gasoline in 40 major cities along the Atlantic seaboard.

Even before the inquiry started most authorities here agreed that the gasoline and fuel oil shortages in 17 eastern states and the District of Columbia resulted from diversion of 50 oil tanker ships to England earlier this year. These tankers normally carried petroleum from gulf ports to the east,

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SELECTEE FINALLY GETS OLD JOB BACK

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Sylvester Carra, Brooklyn selectee recently discharged from the army because of dependents, today had his shoeshop foreman's job back because of intervention by United States Attorney Harold M. Kennedy in what Kennedy described as the first case of its kind during the present emergency.

Carra, Kennedy said, was an employe of the Grossman Shoe company, when inducted May 1. Later Carra's father died and Carra was discharged from the army as the sole support of his family.

His former employer, Morgan Grossman, told him his job had been abolished and Carra appealed to the government.

Kennedy interceded and Carra was returned to his former job at his previous salary and. Kennedy said, was guaranteed that if the job again was abolished other work would be found for him.

The action was taken under a provision of the selective service act which stipulated that a selectee, honorably discharged and refused his former employment may sue for his job without expense to him.

Colonel Arthur V. McDermott, Manhattan selective service director, said the only time the job could be refused was when the employer's circumstances had been so changed as to make it impossible or unreasonable to restore it.

IRAN CAMPAIGN PROVES WAVELL TRANSFER WISE

Shows Widespread Talk He Was Kicked Downstairs Unfounded

MAY INDICATE MORE

Possible Transfer Of British Troops To Aid Russia Seen

By Paul K. Lee
(Associated Press Cable Staff)

When General Sir Archibald P. Wavell was transferred suddenly on July 2 from Britain's middle east command to India, there was widespread talk that this most successful British general had been kicked downstairs.

Now, eight weeks later, the transfer has fallen snugly into place like a curiously-shaped piece in a great jigsaw puzzle, filling out an important segment in the panorama of the war and of British grand strategy.

With Wavell in command of the British forces, the British-Russian thrust against Iran appears on the verge of success in the fourth day of a smoothly-operating invasion like that with which Wavell dumfounded the Italians in Libya.

It seems virtually certain that a secure route for British and American material aid for Russia in her war with Germany, and possibly for British troops as well, is to be opened up across Iran to Russia's Caspian sea and Caucasus areas.

At the time of his transfer, Wavell was the subject of considerable gossip to the effect that he was in semi-disgrace because his sweep into Libya was followed by reverses from German-reinforced axis troops and Australian criticism of the Greek and Crete campaigns.

By declining to give the house of commons an explanation, British Prime Minister Churchill let Wavell "take it," so to speak, and the general himself kept silent.

Today, the fact that his Indian command is handling the Iranian situation appears to be both an explanation of the past and a tip-off of the future.

The oil of Iran makes that ancient kingdom a worthy prize in itself, but Iran alone could have been taken care of by the middle east command.

The implication is that much of

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12 LOCAL YOUTHS JOIN AIR CORPS

Men Will Be Stationed At New Army Field At Biloxi

The largest number of volunteers for army service from the local recruiting office since January 1 was scheduled for induction Thursday at Jackson, Miss., according to Sergeant Harold B. McNemar, local recruiting officer.

Twelve youths of this section were due to take the oath of enlistment for three-year periods at the new air corps station, Kessler field, Biloxi, Miss. The station recently was authorized by the war department to accept enlistments to bring it up to its authorized strength.

The young men, who stormed Sergeant McNemar's office Wednesday asking for duty at the new air field were James Aubrey Browder, 22, Winnsboro; George Paul Butler, 20, Lake Providence; William Clyde Crider, 22, Monroe; Elmus Farris Duncan, 21, West Monroe; Henry Theodore Eubanks, 21, Rayville; Louie Gordy, 20, Winnsboro; James Guracdy, 20, West Monroe; Joe Clarence Hague, 21, Monroe; Bobbie McBroom, 22, Clarks; Oren Christopher Newton, 21, Athens; Leon Carvis Parker, Farmerville, and William Wilton Warren, West Monroe.

In addition to the unlimited number of vacancies for the air corps at Kessler field, places are reported at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., Sergeant McNemar announced.

MENZIES RESIGNS, FADDEN REPLACES

SYDNEY, Australia, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Prime Minister Robert C. Menzies, who has been engaged in a bitter quarrel with the Labor party over his desire to go to London, resigned today, and Arthur W. Fadden, the deputy prime minister, was chosen to succeed him.

Fadden was elected unanimously at a joint meeting of the United Australian party and the Country party.

Earlier the British and Australian governments had agreed that an Australian minister other than the prime minister would go to London to represent Australia in empire war councils. Whether this would be Menzies, now that he is an ordinary minister, still was doubtful.

The crisis arose when Menzies announced he was going to London. The Labor party, not represented in the government, objected, turned down a proposal from the government that it join the cabinet, and called for Menzies' resignation.

Cobra Casualty



Single shot fired by British sergeant ends promptly the menace of a 5½-foot Indian cobra that surprised group of soldiers at an unnamed beach.

WRITER GIVEN BIG THRILL IN DIVE BOMBER

Strain Terrific As Huge Craft Catapults Toward Enemy Below

(An Associated Press correspondent covering the war games in Arkansas was one of three reporters allowed to ride into action with the army's new dive bombers, put into use a week ago and employed for the first time today in simulated battle. This is his story. The first inside report on the Douglas bomber that the army claims will outperform the German Stuka.)

By Jerry T. Baulch

WITH THE SECOND ARMY IN ARKANSAS, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Riding one of the new army dive bombers in a dawn attack today made the roller coaster at Coney Island seem like a puny thrill—it was like traveling pickaback on a comet.

After receiving pre-dawn instructions from the flight commander, Lieutenant W. R. Puritan, at the Shreveport, La., base, the nine-plane squadron thundered aloft. I rode in the gunner's cockpit of one of the squat planes with Lieutenant Edward J. Walker at the controls up front.

Daylight came during the half-hour we roared along at more than 200 miles an hour into South Arkansas.

Puritan rolled his plane as a signal and the dragonfly-like machines fell into a staggered echelon. Then at 9,000 feet we peeled off.

My 25-year-old pilot threw open the flaps in his wings, slowed to what seemed a standstill and pushed the ship's nose straight down.

It seemed as if the whole bottom had dropped out. The sudden fall would have catapulted me out of the cockpit had it not been for the sturdy safety belt which cut hard at my stomach.

Everything turned black for a single moment. Then my senses returned. The pressure on my ears was terrific. I screamed as loud as I could

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UNTRAINED SERGEANT CRASHES BIG BOMBER

MANILA, Aug. 28.—(AP)—An army staff sergeant who had never flown a plane tried to make an unauthorized flight in a bomber at Nichols field today and, in the subsequent crash, two Filipinos were killed and the plane wrecked.

Three other Filipinos and the sergeant, William B. Rowland, were injured when the big Martin bomber stalled just after taking the air. It crashed amid four native huts in which Filipino laborers at the field near Manila were living.

Army officers said Sergeant Rowland, whose home town is Natchez, Miss., had been in charge of a ground crew detailed to service planes. They said he knew all about the mechanism of planes but couldn't fly them.

Just before dawn he came to the field and induced men on duty there to open a hangar and roll out the bomber. On the runway, he warmed up the motors, army authorities said, and took off. The accident evidently was caused by his trying to climb too steeply.

Colonel Lawrence Churchill, Nichols field commandant, ordered an investigation of all incidents leading to the attempted unauthorized flight and crash.

Rowland suffered a fractured jaw and cut face but his injuries were not regarded as dangerous.

MESSAGE FROM JAP DELIVERED TO ROOSEVELT

Nipponese Rapidly Removing Soldiers From Central China

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(AP)—A personal message from the Japanese prime minister to President Roosevelt was delivered to the chief executive today by Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura, the Japanese ambassador.

Nomura came to the White House after days of rapidly developing tension growing out of the conflict of Japanese and American policies in the Pacific.

He conferred at the White House with the president and Secretary of State Hull.

Nomura refused to elaborate in reply to a barrage of questions from reporters as to what the message from Prime Minister Konoye contained.

Before the conference, however, it was reported that the envoy would discuss with Mr. Roosevelt the strained relations between the two countries, including reported Japanese representations to Russia and the United States against shipments of American oil and other supplies to Russia via Vladivostok.

Asked specifically whether the message he carried related to shipments to Russia, Nomura replied he did not think so.

RAPIDLY WITHDRAWING CENTRAL CHINA TROOPS

SHANGHAI, Aug. 28.—(AP)—At least 10,000 Japanese troops are being withdrawn from central China each week to take up positions either at Hainan or French Indo-China, foreign military sources reported today.

They said the withdrawals began

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The World Today

(By Associated Press)

Fighting ends in four-day-old invasion of Iran; New Iran cabinet sues Britain, Russia for armistice to avoid further bloodshed; Anglo-Soviet columns strike deeper into middle east kingdom.

Turks fear German invasion, close Thrace to foreigners; Istanbul hears Hitler warns Turkey he may need to use Turkish territorial waters soon.

German-occupied France moves to crush rising tide of hatred against Nazis, new roundups net 300; three condemned "terrorists" executed; ex-Premier Laval, wounded in assassination attempt, still in grave condition.

Germans report Nazi troops within 32 miles of Leningrad.

Soviet Marshal Budyenny calls for defense of Odessa "to the last drop of blood"; Russians say two Nazi defense lines broken in six-day counter-attack on central (Moscow) front.

Germans claim Moscow-Leningrad railway severed, impairing defense of Russia's second largest city, and report Nazi forces have crossed lower Dnieper river at Zaporozhe; Russians acknowledge heavy fighting on entire front.

British air force bombs Mannheim and other targets in western Germany.

Japanese ambassador in Washington seeks conference with President Roosevelt as tension in Far East grows.

V. F. W. TABLES CENSURE MOVE

Makes Plea To Roosevelt To Outlaw Jurisdictional Strikes

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—(AP)—The Veterans of Foreign Wars has come through the first flareup of its 42nd national encampment by tabling a resolution to censure "any and all organizations" attempting to undermine United States foreign policy.

The action followed a plea to President Roosevelt to outlaw jurisdictional strikes in defense industries as un-American and to forfeit exemption of defense employes from selective service if they strike.

The veterans also unanimously called upon the president to dispense with services of Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins because she "has demonstrated her lack of ability to handle the position she holds." They petitioned congress to declare the Communist party a non-political organization and bar it from the ballot.

Louis E. Starr, Oregon department commander, set off the foreign policy controversy yesterday by offering the censure resolution with a favorable report on it by the V. F. W. Americanization committee which he heads.

The resolution cited the accusation of National Commander Joseph C. Menendez that "certain organizations"

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Menu Shows Good Meals Are Served To Soldiers

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is another of a series of "behind the scenes" articles on the Louisiana maneuvers. The stories were gained from personal interviews with soldiers, and observations of the writer during a tour of the maneuver area from the quartermaster's base to the "battle line" near Camp Polk.)

By George V. Lofton

Private Jones may have a squawk about this and Corporal Smith may do a bit of griping about that, but so far we haven't found a soldier who's complaining about the meals served by your Uncle Sam during the current maneuvers in southwestern Louisiana.

Even when they're deep in the woods, the lads get a pretty fair snack.

Here's a typical menu during maneuvers:

Breakfast: Oranges, corned beef hash, toast, jam, butter, coffee, cream and sugar.

Lunch (supplied in paper bags and eaten in the field): Ham and egg sandwich, roast beef sandwich, large apple.

Supper: Steak and gravy, boiled potatoes, string beans, ecleslaw, fruit salad, bread and butter, coffee, milk and sugar.

When the troops are not actually working on war problems, here's a rest-day menu:

Breakfast: Pears, baked corned beef hash, scrambled eggs, toast, butter, jam, coffee and sugar.

Dinner: Baked ham and sweet potatoes, string beans, cucumber and green onion salad, bread pudding, bread, butter and coffee.

Supper: Sliced luncheon meat, sliced cheese, potato salad, pickled beets, bread, butter, jam and coffee.

Sounds pretty good, doesn't it?

The menu varies from day to day, and that variety helps a lot.

We had lunch with Company F, 55th Regiment, quartermaster corps, one day last week. It was the same meal served the soldiers—nothing specially prepared to put on a show for newspapermen. The company was tented in a grove of trees and it was delightfully cool there on a hot summer day.

Sauerkraut and frankfurters, several vegetables, dessert and coffee or milk was the menu that day, and it was all well cooked and most palatable.

"We haven't had sauerkraut and wienies in a month," a soldier told us, "and it tastes pretty good. How do you like it?"

We, too, hadn't eaten "sauerkraut and wienies" in a long time, and agreed that it was tops.

The meal was prepared in a large

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300 Arrested After French Leaders Shot

PENSION BOOST RECOMMENDED BY COMMITTEE

Senate Group Would Liberalize Old Age And Insurance Payments

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(AP)—A special Senate committee recommended to congress today liberalization of the social security laws to provide minimum old age pensions of $30 monthly to all unemployed persons over the age of 60.

The committee also proposed that old age insurance benefits begin at a $30 monthly minimum and that combined employer-employe payroll taxes be boosted to 6 per cent by January 1, 1944, a level which would not be reached under present law until January 1, 1949. At present employers and employes each pay 1 per cent.

The extended benefits urged by the committee, named to investigate the government's old age pension setup, would cost an estimated $4,000,000,000 annually.

Under present law, the age minimum for pension and insurance beneficiaries is 65. The pensions vary by states and in 1940, ranged from $3.89 monthly in Arkansas to $18.94 in California. Committee records said insurance benefits averaged $20.48 monthly.

The proposed new pension minimum would rise from $20 effective next July 1 to the $30 figure in 1944. It should be paid, the committee said, to "every American citizen who has retired from gainful employment at or after the age of 60" unless he is receiving federal old age insurance benefits or is covered by the 1940 railroad retirement act.

Chairman Downey said economists had told him the distribution of $4,000,000,000 a year would result in increased federal revenues of $400,000,000 annually.

The majority plan contemplated a population of 15,000,000 persons over 60 in 1945. Eliminating aliens, an estimated 3,000,000 employed beyond the age of 60, and other groups, the committee estimated 10,000,000 would qualify as beneficiaries.

At a national income level of $100,000,000,000 the committee estimated present coverage would bring in $2,600,000,000 with a total 6 per cent payroll tax; public employes $500,000,000; a 3 per cent tax on self-employed, $300,000,000, and farm groups $600,000,000.

The committee recommended that the liberalized benefits start at $20 monthly on July 1, 1942, and remain at that figure until January 1, 1944.

The proposal also would liberalize indirectly the benefits to widows under 60 with children under 18. Under the present law such widows with one or more children can not get an allowance more than double that of the husband's primary benefit.

"Thus," said the report, "a widow with three children whose husband's benefit would have been the minimum of $10, could not receive more than $20, a sum totally insufficient for her support and generally far below that to which most relief laws would entitle her. Now, if the minimum primary benefit were increased to $30 monthly her allowance would automatically rise to $60."

CONDEMNED MAN IS ANXIOUS FOR DEATH

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Eldon Hawks' greatest fear is that he will be reprieved and not be allowed to die in the San Quentin prison gas chamber tomorrow morning.

The 26-year-old murderer of a San Diego mechanic is not insane, psychiatrists said, but in a metamorphosis—a sensation of leaving one life for another. He has been in such a state for weeks.

Governor Culbert Olson granted Hawks' request that his execution be postponed from August 8 to August 29, so he could die with John William Lininger, 40. He and Lininger, another murderer, have struck up a close friendship in death row.

The Rev. Henry Ohlhoff of San Francisco, an Episcopal chaplain, observed:

"Hawks wants to die because he has a definite feeling that life to come is to be beautiful. He doesn't want to miss that. He's not insane. He believes he's going to something he doesn't want to miss.

"He's not going to spend the rest of his mortal life in prison when he can get to something better by dying."

Hawks, after his victim's widow asked the governor to commute his sentence, wrote the executive:

"I have feared you may be foolish enough to listen to her nonsense. You have no legitimate grounds on which to commute me. I murdered a man in cold blood. I deserve my penalty. I planned the murder, and if I was out tomorrow I would go on with my criminal life."

Physicians Report Condition Of Laval And Deat Still Grave

THREE PUT TO DEATH

Executions Follow Quickly On Death Sentences Passed Wednesday

VERSAILLES, German-occupied France, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Authorities of German-occupied France made a sweeping round-up of enemies to the regime today in the wake of the Laval-Deat assassination attempt and by mid-afternoon had placed more than 300 persons in "protective custody," some of them from the very ranks of the newly mobilized anti-Bolshevist legion.

DOESN'T SHOOT AT GERMAN OFFICERS

VERSAILLES, Occupied France, Aug. 28.—(AP)—When asked why he shot the Frenchmen Pierre Laval and Marcel Deat instead of firing on the high German officers present at yesterday's ceremony here, young assassin Paul Colette told a magistrate today:

"Why would you want me to fire at a German officer? I have no reason to do that, because they are in France to carry out their duty."

In Paris, the first three so-called Communists to be convicted by special courts were executed. They were condemned to death yesterday for alleged misdeeds not connected with the Laval shooting.

Authorities apparently feared that the anti-Bolshevist legion, formed to fight Russia alongside Germany, contains many more members who, like Pierre Laval's youthful assassin, Paul Colette, had joined purposely to be able to get at the French leaders favoring strong collaboration with Germany.

Today's arrests were made in Paris and Versailles while both Laval and

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APPROVES NEW EXCISE TAXES

Would Add Approximately $400,000,000 To Levy Measure

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(AP)—A Senate finance subcommittee agreed today on a new schedule of excise taxes which members said would add approximately $400,000,000 to the $3,503,900,000 tax bill.

The subcommittee, composed of Senators Brown, Democrat, Michigan, and Danaher, Republican, Connecticut, reported its finding to the full committee after a four-hour session devoted to developing new sources of revenue.

Both Brown and Danaher declined to reveal details of the new schedule. Brown said, however, that "we increased some existing taxes and provided for a few more."

The excise taxes are those imposed generally upon manufactured articles.

Prior to the subcommittee's report, Senator Downey, Democrat, California, urged the committee to write into the revenue bill provisions for a new pension schedule which would provide $30 monthly for persons over 60. Downey also protested against the committee's increase in the schedule of wine taxes.

"The House increased the taxes about 33 1-3 per cent," Downey told reporters, "but the committee increase would amount to almost 100 per cent. That would be a very serious blow to California grape growers."

Senators opposing any change in the existing community property regulations of eight states forced reconsideration today of the Senate finance committee's vote to prevent husbands and wives from dividing their income for tax purposes.

Under the laws of Texas, Louisiana, Arizona, New Mexico, California, Nevada, Idaho and Washington, husbands and wives may divide their taxable

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DOG GIVES LIFE TO SAVE MISTRESS

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Duke was just an 18-month-old mongrel dog but he had the heart of a thoroughbred.

Chained to a garage in the rear of Mary Denofa's home, he saw the house in flames and barked a warning that sent his 27-year-old mistress out the front door to safety.

Apparently thinking Miss Denofa still in the building, Duke broke his collar and hurtled through the wall of flames.

Miss Denofa stood outside and wept as she watched him appear at windows after racing from room to room with his shaggy hair blazing.

The dog was unconscious when the fire subsided. Horribly burned, he had to be destroyed.

ALL FIGHTING IN IRAN ENDS AFTER 4 DAYS

British Announce Invasion Of Country Now Peaceful Occupation

TURKS GET DEMAND

Germany Says Use Of Territorial Waters Soon May Be Required

(By Associated Press)

German troops storming toward Leningrad were reported within 32 miles of the old czarist capital late today, while on the middle east war front, all fighting ceased in the four-day-old invasion of Iran (Persia) by British-Russian forces.

Already proclaimed "in terrible danger," Leningrad was being defended by hastily-mobilized volunteers in a people's army fighting alongside regular Red army troops, and inside the great industrial city a third line of defenders manned street barricades.

On the southern front, the Germans said masses of Russian infantry attempted to cross back to the west bank of the Dnieper river and had been chopped down by German artillery.

Only on the central front, guarding Moscow, did the Russians present an optimistic picture. Soviet dispatches said counter-attacking Red army troops had smashed two successive German defense lines in the Gomel area, about midway between Smolensk and Kiev.

Simultaneously, Soviet Marshal Semeon Budyenny issued a dramatic appeal to besieged Russian forces at Odessa to defend that Black sea port "to the last drop of blood."

In Iran, a new cabinet was said to have asked Britain and Russia for an armistice to avoid further bloodshed.

A British broadcast, noting the end of hostilities, said the allied invasion had turned into a peaceful occupation.

Meanwhile, Iran's next-door-neighbor, Turkey, manifested increasing alarm over Germany's intentions. Well-informed axis quarters in Istanbul said Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler has told Turkey he may soon need to use Turkish territorial waters in the Black sea—possibly for an attack on the Soviet port of Batum, end of the pipeline from the great Soviet Baku oil fields.

These quarters said Hitler had assured the Turks, however, that he had no other demands. Apparently the Nazi fuehrer was looking ahead to the day when his troops now storming across the Dnieper river in the lower Ukraine would turn south around the sea of Azov and march along the eastern shores of the Black sea.

Axis reports said the movement of German and Italian troops and warplanes into Bulgaria, Yugoslavia and Greece—where they appeared to be menacing Turkish frontiers—was "purely a diversion" to worry the

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WILL DISCUSS PROJECTS HERE

Jones To Meet This Afternoon With Directors Of Flood Association

Governor Sam H. Jones was scheduled to attend a meeting of the directors of the Northeast Louisiana Flood and Drainage association at Hotel Frances here this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The directors will discuss drainage projects in 11 northeast Louisiana parishes with the governor and D. L. Pyburn, director, and Leo Odom chief engineer of the department of public works, J. R. Adams, district engineer of the department, said.

Director Pyburn and Mr. Odom, who arrive in Monroe by air at about 2:30 o'clock this afternoon and was to immediately go into session with the directors.

Director Pyburn and Mr. Odom who came to Monroe ahead of the governor, lunched with the directors of the association at the Frances at noon.

GATES NOMINATED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Artemus L. Gates, noted World war flier and now president of the New York Trust company, was nominated by President Roosevelt today to be assistant secretary of the navy for aeronautics. This post has been vacant for several years and only recently the president filled a similar vacancy in the war department.

1941 SAFETY RECORD

Accidents to date this year—357
Accidents to date last year—310
Personal injuries to date this year—43.
Personal injuries to date last year—54.
Deaths to date this year—4.
Deaths to date last year—5.

Traffic rule of the day: Section 1—In turning to the left at street intersections a vehicle must be kept to the right of the center line of both streets.

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to relieve it but I heard nothing except the deep roar of the motor, the high pitched whistle of the wind through the open flaps.

Walker had aimed the plane dizzily at his target and he held it speeding straight down at 300 miles an hour.

We didn't have real bombs today. But going through all the motions of a real attack, Walker pretended to lose his load after 6,000 feet of plummeting almost straight down.

The pull-out at the end of the ride was tougher than the start. The plane straightened out and headed skyward, but my stomach and my senses tried to keep dropping earthward. The pressure of the change, for which humans ordinarily aren't designed, squeezed me double. I instinctively grabbed the gun turret to pull myself upright. Higher and higher we rose, my senses having to leap to keep with me.

Down below were the 102nd engineers (Manhattan) of the 27th New York division. Our attack theoretically had driven the enemy away so its infantry in assault boats could not storm across the Red river to protect their work of building a pontoon bridge across the 700-foot chasm.

Once again Walker prepared to dive. This time I grabbed the gun turret, knowing what was coming. The shock on my body and brain was less this time. But the thrill was indescribable. I shouted in sheer glee.

We pointed skyward, sped toward nearby Hope and then moved over Rosston, where once more we became human catapults.

The mission finished, Walker skimmed the treetops and under heavy cloud banks we headed home.

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were failing to cooperate with the government on national policy.

Menendez recently suspended Earl Southard, Illinois department commander and secretary of the Citizens Keep America Out of War committee, on charges of disloyalty to his oath of allegiance to the government. Southard seeks to have the convention void the action.

Upwards of 50 delegates jumped to their feet to protest the censure proposal while several demanded that it specify the organizations at which it was aimed.

"This is not the place to name names," Menendez asserted, explaining with Starr that the resolution would not bar anyone in the V. F. W. from criticizing administration foreign policies if they wished.

A New York delegate, however, objected with the statement, "Such a resolution condemns as subversive anyone who opposes the president's policy."

Delegates from California, Massachusetts and Illinois echoed the sentiment and another speaker, rising without identifying himself, declared, "That resolution would commit us to aid to Russia." This brought a chorus of "no, no," from the floor.

A voice vote finally tabled the matter.

MARRIAGES

TOLBIRD-FROST

OKALOOSA, La., Aug. 28.—(Special)—Miss Marie Frost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Frost, and J. C. Tolbird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tolbird of Walnut Grove, were married Saturday in a ceremony performed at the Walnut Grove Methodist church. Rev. Miss Lea Joyner, pastor of the church, officiated.

The couple will make their home in the Walnut Grove community.



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TO SHOW FILM



J. P. Colvin, student of the Southern Baptist Theological seminary in Louisville, Ky., who will show the film, "For Such a Time," Friday night at the First Baptist church here.

WILL SHOW PICTURE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

J. P. Colvin, student of the Southern Baptist Theological seminary at Louisville, Ky., will present the sound motion picture, "For Such a Time," at the First Baptist church of Monroe Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. The picture portrays the war-torn conditions of China and Europe, with actual scenes of bombings, battles and suffering. It also shows how Christian ministers are being prepared for the urgent task of meeting present confused world conditions.

The picture was prepared by students and faculty members of the seminary, the largest school in the United States for the training of ministers.

Mr. Colvin also will speak on the work of the seminary. No admission will be charged, and the public is invited to attend.

GOOD FOOD IS GIVEN TROOPS

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cook tent. There were four portable ovens, which used gasoline for fuel, and they were spotlessly clean. The burners may be raised or lowered for baking, boiling or roasting, and huge pots are placed atop the ovens. The four ovens will serve a capacity of 300 men. Incidentally, the entire camp was camouflaged, with branches of trees thrown over the tents and equipment.

Immediately after lunch was served, the mess sergeant and his assistants began preparing sandwiches of cold meats, cheese and other goodies. That aroused our curiosity.

"That's for the men out in the field," a soldier told us. "We send them an afternoon snack in paper bags. We take cold drinks along and they have a sort of fourth meal each day. It helps a lot to take time out for a sandwich after you've worked hard during the early afternoon."

And at the service club at Camp Polk they even give a soldier his choice of "northern" or "southern" coffee. "Southern" coffee, of course, is that kind we like but the boys from the north can't drink.

Speaking of "northern" and "southern," the lads from the north can't understand the attitude some of the southern soldiers have toward them.

One of our drivers was from Connecticut and apparently the boys from Dixie had made it a little uncomfortable for him and his mates.

"I finally asked 'em if they didn't know the Civil war was over, but that didn't help," he complained. "We never think of 'north' and 'south' up where I come from, and we were surprised to learn that there was still some resentment against us down here. Even one of my sergeants rode us because we were from the north, but I couldn't say much to him."

There have been some fist fights and much conversation on that subject, but fortunately nothing serious has occurred so far.

NEGRO BROUGHT HERE FROM DENVER, COLO.

Charged with larceny of numerous articles from the home of City Judge W. M. Harper, George Watson, local negro, was returned here Wednesday night by sheriff's deputies from Denver, Colo., where he was arrested at the request of local authorities, Sheriff Milton Coverdale reported Thursday.

The negro, who fled last week, is accused of stealing three electric fans, an electric floor polisher, two traveling bags, a lot of men's clothing, a lot of women's clothing, and several other articles totaling $200 in value from Judge Harper's home at 1412 Island Drive. Watson was employed by the Harpers.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Foster, 421 Howard street, announce the birth of a son Tuesday at Vaughan-Wright-Bendel clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Folden, 114 Egan street, announce the birth Wednesday of a son at Vaughan-Wright-Bendel clinic.

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Fair Enough

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I published this memoir, however, I telephoned Mr. Fadiman to invite his comment. His reply was that he had written this declaration quite a long time back and that he did not know that the New Masses intended to publish it under a heading which committed the contributors to Communism.

For what it was worth, in the judgment of the readers, I presented his explanation, remembering, however, for myself, that the non-Communist takes all the risk in believing any disavowal or recantation by anyone who knowingly and willfully associates with Communists. There is a cousin-bred of cats known as fellow-travelers which runs with the Communists and observes their social and moral forms but lives on better fare.

But I am sure Mr. Van Loon would not call his comrade a fellow-traveler, for they are held in contempt by Communists and non-Communists alike as a flinching, mincing lot who lack the courage to join the party and run like hares from the red-baiters. I did not attempt to classify Mr. Van Loon's comrade, therefore, but just presented his own declaration and the explanation and let it go at that, although I thought it significant that he chose a Communist publication in which to state his position.

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I am afraid I can't allow Mr. Fadiman to recant as glibly as he tried to and my authority for this position is Mr. Fadiman himself in an essay published only last week. Discussing a new book by Dr. Hermann Rauschning, the backslid Nazi, entitled The Conservation Revolution, Mr. Fadiman coldly rejects Reuschning's statement that he really didn't mean it when he was practicing Hitlerism in Germany.

"Suppose, Dr. Rauschning," he writes, sternly, "we stop being subtle and hochphilosophic and state a simple fact or two. It would seem to most people that anybody who is familiar with Hitler's speeches (as you must have been) was aware that his central appeal lay in an inflammatory invitation to murder a helpless minority." He then holds Rauschning irrevocably bound by his earlier choice and I now find Van Loon accusing me of character-assassination in applying Fadiman's own rule to Fadiman, himself.

But surely Van Loon dishonors his comrade by this defense, for he craves an indulgence that his pundit friend bitterly withholds from another. And he argues that his friend's declared beliefs were somewhat despicable which is a hell of a way to treat a comrade.

Van Loon, out of his knowledge of the abnormal, suggests that in my youth I may have wished to be a policeman or a writer. I believe this is what the abnormalists call the field of suppressed desires and the fact is that I did have a longing to be a ball player. I suppose Van Loon, too, may have wished to be something else, say a milliner, or a nurse.

APPROVES NEW EXCISE TAXES

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income and thus, in many cases, reduce their tax obligation. For instance, a husband earning $20,000 and a wife having an income of $2,000 both could file a return for $11,000. Such a procedure would make their total taxes lower than if each income were reported in separate returns.

The finance committee voted 13 to 5 Monday to require the spouse receiving the income to file the return on it, but Senator Connally, Democrat, Texas, and others promptly announced they would make an effort to reverse the committee decision. Connally told reporters that if the committee still insisted on the new system today he would carry the fight to the Senate floor.

DEATHS

DR. N. S. HOLMES

Dr. N. S. Holmes of Eros died at his home late Tuesday afternoon after a few months illness.

He had been practicing medicine in Eros for over 35 years.

Dr. Holmes is survived by his wife; a son, J. S. Holmes of Monroe; a daugher, Frances of Eros; and two brothers, Ed Holmes of Monroe and Howard Holmes of Shreveport.

Funeral services were held from the residence today at 3:30 p.m., with Rev. Elijah Hearne, pastor of the Methodist church at Eros, officiating.

Pallbearers were R. N. Hearne, Henry Hearne, D. O. Hester, J. D. Koonce, Ray Thornton and Raymond Hayden. Honorary pallbearers were Dr. C. P. Gray, Dr. J. E. Walsworth, Dr. A. D. Tisdale, Dr. Henson Coon, J. Norman Coon and friends of the family.

Funeral arrangements were directed by the Lincoln-Jackson Burial association of Ruston.

MRS. IDA CUTRER

Mrs. Ida Cutrer, 40, 405 South First street, West Monroe, died at a local sanitarium Wednesday at 11:45 p.m. following an extended illness.

The funeral cortege left the Dixie Funeral home at 1 p.m. Thursday for services and interment at the Henry cemetery, near Dubach, with Rev. Hollingsworth officiating.

Mrs. Cutrer is survived by one daughter, Mrs. C. E. Moore, West Monroe; two sisters, Mrs. May George, Dubach, Mrs. Ophicle Fuller, Pioneer; and three brothers, Oscar King, Frank King, and Tilleman King, all of Dubach.

JIMMY CUNNINGHAM HOME FOR VISIT

Jimmy Cunningham, 24, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Cunningham, 2002 Jackson street, is spending a few days with his family before transferring to Corpus Christi, Tex., for advanced training in the United States naval flying school.

Young Cunningham spent the past six weeks in the naval air corps primary base at New Orleans when he took preliminary flight training.

Before enlisting for service, Cunningham was connected with Woolworth stores.

MESSAGE FROM JAP DELIVERED TO ROOSEVELT

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a month ago, but there were no reports that the Japanese were abandoning any central China points held for the last two and a half years. The sources believed the Japanese were reducing garrisons rather than completely withdrawing from any front.

At the same time increased Chinese military activity has been reported from the Yangtze river valley. Domei also reported the Chinese opened two small scale offensives in Anhwei province, only to be repulsed.

(A Chinese central news dispatch to Hongkong said the Chinese suddenly attack Min river Japanese garrisons in Fukien province and recaptured Futsing, a coastal town south of Foochow.)

Military men said the Japanese withdrawals might mean the Japanese planned invasion of Thailand later this year. Moving into Thailand from Indo-China at present would not be feasible because the rainy season has hit Cambodia protectorate, facing the Thais, they said.

Travelers from Saigon reported Japanese strength in Indo-China to be at least 100,000 troops.

That the Japanese military in south Indo-China does not want information of its activities there made known was indicated when censorship was enforced soon after occupation forces landed.

HOME EXEMPTIONS INCREASE 342 HERE

An increase of 342 homestead exemptions in Ouachita parish this year over last was reported Thursday morning by Bert Coverdale, parish assessor. The 1941 report showed 5,088 persons here eligible for exemptions, while the 1940 showed only 4,786.

The assessor announced that he has started preparing the 1941 tax rolls, and that practically all local taxes already have been figured.

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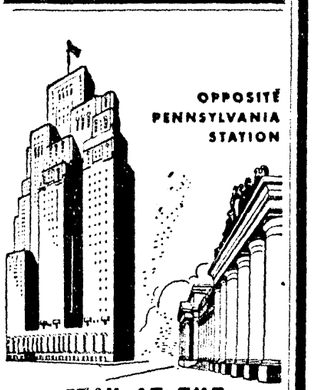
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ALL FIGHTING IN IRAN ENDS AFTER 4 DAYS

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British. But the Turks still showed signs of deep uneasiness.

In France, authorities of the occupied zone made a sweeping roundup of enemies of the regime, amid an apparently rising tide of bitterness and hatred against the German conquest, and by mid-afternoon had taken more than 300 persons into "protective custody." Three men condemned yesterday were swiftly executed.

The brief war in Iran, directed by Britain's General Sir Archibald P. Wavell, who last winter drove the Italians out of Egypt, apparently resulted in few casualties and little more than token resistance by Iren's 190,000 troops.

Indian troops led by British officers were reported in control of Iran's three main outlets to the sea —Khorramshahr, Abadan and Bandar Shapur—after fighting across desert and marshlands in 130-degree heat.

Russian Cossacks striking down into Iran from the north were reported to have reached Turkmanchai, on the road to the capital city of Teheran, after a 70-mile advance in 24 hours from Tabriz, the kingdom's second biggest city.

In neighboring Turkey, meanwhile, nervousness over a possible invasion by German troops massed along the Greek-Turkish frontier was reflected in reports that the government had closed Thrace to all foreigners.

The Hungarian news agency said the Turks also had prohibited automobile and rail traffic between Turkey and Europe. Latest advices from Ankara have pictured the Turks as deeply alarmed lest Hitler strike through Turkey in a move to counter the British-Russian thrust into Iran.

On the Russo-German war front, Adolf Hitler's armies were reported to have cut off rail supplies to two vital centers, Leningrad in the north and the great Black sea naval base of Sebastopol in the south, and the Russians acknowledged threats at both ends and the center of the vast front.

The Germans said Nazi forces pursuing retreating Russians east of Gomel, on the central front, had captured 2,200 prisoners as two mechanized divisions ripped deep into Red columns.

As a result of the shooting in Versailles yesterday of France's pro-Nazi former Premier Pierre Laval, gravely wounded near the heart and throat, police of the German-occupied zone began a roundup of members of the anti-Communist legion recruited for service against Russia.

Authorities were seeking to determine whether Paul Colette, 29-year-old legionnaire who shot Laval, had accomplices in the legion's ranks. Colette admitted frankly he was a follower of General Charles de Gaulle, leader of Free French forces.

In Paris, a special anti-Communist court handed down its first three death sentences.

A bulletin from the fuehrer's headquarters said two Red army mechanized divisions had been crushed and all but destroyed east of Salla, in the far north of Finnish Karelia.

Elsewhere, the German high command said, "Operations continue according to plan."

A Soviet communique said the Red armies, fighting with their backs to the wall in defense of Leningrad and siege-bound Odessa, were battling fiercely against concerted Nazi assaults.

Throughout the night, the Russians said, heavy fighting raged in the Kingisepp sector, 75 miles southwest of Leningrad; in the Smolensk and Gomel areas on the central front; and in the Dnieperopetrovsk and Odessa regions, in the Ukraine.

Soviet reports from Hango, the hold-out fortress off the southwest Finnish coast, said Finnish-German attacks by land, sea and air had been beaten off.

German military dispatches said Nazi troops had seized the Moscow-Leningrad railroad somewhere east of Novgorod, choking off the flow of raw materials essential to Leningrad's armament, shipbuilding and other industries.

DNB, the official German news agency, also reported that German, Rumanian and Hungarian troops had smashed across the Dnieper river to capture Zaporzhe, 50 miles south of Dnieperopetrovsk, astride the only direct rail line connecting Sebastopol with northern supply centers.

It was the first time the Germans have claimed a crossing of the lower reaches of the broad river, on the east bank of which Soviet Marshal Budyenny's forces retreating from the Ukraine have been reported establishing a new defense line.

Such crossing would give the Germans and their Hungarian and Rumanian allies access to the rich Donets Basin, bounded on the east by the Don river.

Ditpatches from Moscow telling of heavy fighting along the whole front made no mention of the successes claimed by the Germans in the Leningrad and Ukraine sectors.

The Russians reported, however, that their troops pushing southward into Iran from the Caucasus had reached Turkmanchai on the road to the Iranian capital at Teheran after an advance of 70 miles from Tabriz, the oriental kingdom's second largest city. Turkmanchai is about 270 miles from Teheran as the crow flies.

The British indicated their troops advancing eastward from Iraq and northward from the Persian gulf were making steady progress.

Announcement that Reza Shah Pahlavi, the Iranian ruler, had accepted the resignation of his cabinet and was forming a new government was taken in London as an indication that peace overtures might be expected, but a British communique issued at Simla, India, said Iran had issued general mobilization orders—apparently in preparation to continue the fight.

Whatever the significance of these developments, London sources expressed belief that the British-Russian allies would not cease military operations until they had established a corridor to the Soviet and expelled all Germans from Iran.

In the west, the British air force was again busy over the continent, striking at Mannheim and other targets in Western Germany during the night. Only a small number of German raiders was reported over Britain.

In France the spotlight remained focused on the attempted assassination at Versailles yesterday of former Vice-Premier Pierre Laval and his henchman, Marcel Deat, leading exponents of collaboration with Germany. Both were reported in critical condition in a Versailles hospital.

The situation in the Far East was kept to the forefront by reports from Washington that Japanese Ambassador Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura had requested a conference today with President Roosevelt.

The conference, expected to have a vitally important bearing on the conflict of American and Japanese policies in the Pacific, apparently was arranged by Nomura on instructions from Tokyo, which has been exhibiting increased concern over shipment of American war supplies to Russia via Vladivostok.

In Tokyo, the important newspaper Nichi Nichi suggested that Japan may stake her whole Far East prestige on the issue of United States tankers transporting aviation fuel to Vladivostok.

"It is not a mere problem of oil shipments—it is a tremendous problem which means the success or failure of our international policy," the paper said.

Simultaneously, the Japan Times and Advertiser, controlled by the foreign office, asserted that the United States military mission to China constituted virtual American participation in the war against Japan.

Dispatches from Shanghai said at least 10,000 Japanese troops were being withdrawn each week from central China to take positions either at Hainan or French Indo-China, presumably to be ready for any Japanese thrust into Thailand, British Burma or even Singapore.

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FIRE CAUSES DAMAGE TO LOCAL RESIDENCE

Fire caused slight damage early Thursday to the two-story frame residence at 1210 Park avenue, according to Fire Chief Frank Roddy. Cause of the blaze was said to be carelessness with cigarettes.

Firemen were called at 3:38 a.m. to extinguish the fire at the house, property of Mrs. J. D. McRaney. It was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Parnell.

300 ARRESTED IN SHOOTING

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Marcel Deat lay seriously ill in hospitals with grave bullet wounds in their bodies.

Colette, a ship stoker and acknowledged de Gaullist, was rushed toward trial before one of the special anti-Communist courts just set up by the French. Informed circles said the opening of the trial was "a matter of hours."

These said also that it was evident that Colette had been pushed into the attack "by Communist-de Gaullist (Free French) elements."

It was at a mobilization of this very legion yesterday that Colette, posing as a recruit, shot the pro-Nazi Laval, Marcel Deat, old-time appeaser, and two others.

The red-headed Colette, meanwhile, frankly told an investigating magistrate this morning that he was a follower of General Charles de Gaulle and that he was very glad he had hit the collaborationist politicians.

Doctors were hopeful they could save the lives of both Laval and Deat, who were gravely wounded.

In Paris, outright opposition elements were being rounded up in what were called preventive arrests in order to keep the Versailles shootings from serving as a signal for general disorder.

Here in Versailles a heavy guard was thrown about the barracks where the shootings occurred and in the early morning hours three anti-Communist legionnaires were taken into custody.

They were carrying revolvers of the same type which Colette had stuck in his leather belt.

Still other arrests were made in Versailles—either to prevent new outbreaks or to block open fighting between collaborationists and their enemies.

The three men condemned by the special Paris court in secret session were ordered executed immediately. It was not known whether they were guillotined or shot. They were Andre Brechet, an electrician who formerly was secretary to a Communist deputy; Emil Jean Bastard, a militant Communist, and a Russian, Abraham Trzebruche.

Lucien Sampaix, noted Communist journalist and former secretary-general of the Paris Communist newspaper L'Humanite, who escaped from a concentration camp in the department of Hautes Alpes in the unoccupied zone, was sentenced to life imprisonment at hard labor.

Three others, Pierre Lanant, Bernard Friednann and Leon Ladondeau, were sentenced respectively to 15, 10 and 7 years at hard labor. Three more were sentenced for distributing Communist tracts.

Deat was in considerably more danger than Laval, running a high temperature.

A bulletin issued at 1 p.m. said that both were doing as well as could be expected and that hope of saving Deat had not been given up.

Deat's condition, physicians said, took a turn for the worse at 10 o'clock last night and an immediate intestinal operation was decided upon. A German surgeon described the operation as "perfectly successful," although he added that he was reserving verdict on the final outcome.

Deat's wife spent the entire night at her husband's bedside.

As for Laval, former Cabinet Minister Pierre Cathala said after being allowed to talk to the patient a minute:

"I found Laval in a state of health as satisfactory as possible considering his wounds. The best of hope is permissible for the future."

Laval was reported to have been struck four times, including wounds near the heart and throat. Deat was hit in the throat and an intestine.

Paul Colette, 29-year-old Norman, who surrendered after the attack he made by posing as a recruit for the anti-Bolshevik legion, faced a quick military trial and almost certain execution under week-old anti-Communist regulations.

A description of how the assassination attempt occurred was given last night by Fernand de Brinon, Vichy representative in Paris.

Laval and Deat, along with other leading French collaborationists and German officers, had gathered in the Borgnis de Bordes barracks near the palace of Versailles to address a group of French legionnaires formed to fight with the Germans against Soviet Russia.

Laval, a former premier, one of the leaders in obtaining the armistice with Germany 13 months ago and active in ranging France alongside Germany, talked to the men.

The Marseillaise, French national hymn, was sung for the first time in occupied France and the officials started to file out.

"I had left the barracks," de Brinon said. 'Laval and Deat were behind me. Suddenly five shots rang out, three in rapid succession followed by two more."

(Reports of the wounds inflicted, however, indicated more than five shots were fired.)

"I turned and saw Laval stumbling along and holding his side with legionnaires all around him.

"I called my car quickly and rushed Laval to the Municipal hospital. In the other car we put Deat, who never stopped protesting 'it's nothing, it's nothing."

De Brinon then commented, "We are faced with a terroristic organization."

Colonel Durvy, commander of the barracks, and a legionnaire named Besset also were reported hit by bullets.

Some reports said Colette hid beneath a balcony waiting until the group left the speakers' platform and passed near him en route to the door. Others said he rose from his seat among the legionnaires to fire his revolver.

Authorities said he told them he posed as a recruit for the sole purpoe of killing Laval.

The attack continued a wave of demonstrations, sabotage and attacks against the Germans in France. Germans and French police had retaliated by mass arrests in workers' districts of Paris. Germans warned that all arrested Frenchmen would be held as hostages for future attacks and the Vichy government issued regulations providing the death penalty for Communist agitators.

Vichy police officials expressed the opinion that the attack was retaliation by extreme leftists for the bomb murder July 26 of Marx Dormoy, former Socialist interior minister.

Many groups had reason to hate Laval who himself admitted his unpopularity in France in recent years. Communists hated him as a turn-coat leftist, as supporter of repressive measures against them, as executive for extreme rightist groups and as the man most active in bringing France into the German orbit. The pro-British French blamed him for the armistice and for anti-British measures. The average Frenchman frequently expressed mistrust of him as a politician who had often reversed himself and as representative of the pre-war political cliques.

Even Marshal Petain and his administration mistrusted Laval and openly censored Deat, whose newspaper L'Oeuvre frequently attacked "the men of Vichy."

Petain created his government's most serious crisis when he ousted and arrested Laval, then his vice-premier and chosen successor in December, 1940. Laval was released only when German Ambassador Otto Abetz took him to Paris. He has not been returned to the government despite German pressure but Petain reached an understanding with the politician in what he called the interests of French unity.

SEVERAL RECEIVE PRISON SENTENCES

PARIS, German-Occupied France, Wednesday, Aug. 27.—(Delayed)—(AP)—A special Paris anti-Communist court handed down today the first death sentence of its secret session just beginning, condemning Abraham Trzebrucke to die before a firing squad.

Three others were sentenced to prison for terms of seven to 15 years.

The court action came as Fernand de Brinon, Vichy's representative here, announced that a total of 3,250 alleged Communists had been arrested in the Paris region from July, 1940, to last Monday.

This figure, he said, does not include a large number of Jews recently arrested in round-ups in several Paris arrondissements. And, he added, not all suspects still are detained since many were found to have been denounced falsely by personal enemies.

Through the intervention of French authorities with German military authorities, Paris temporarily has been spared reprisals over the shooting a week ago today of a German officer in a subway station. Police have been unable to trace two attackers who shot the German in the back.

De Brinon said the French themselves have taken full responsibility for maintaining order in the German-occupied zone.

One new propaganda device that has appeared this week, he said, was for Communists to telephone the families of arrested persons and say, "Your son was executed this morning." Instances which were investigated immediately by French and German authorities proved false, he declared.

EAST TO FACE STILL BIGGER GASOLINE CUT

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and their transfer cut off an estimated 250,000 barrels daily.

First warnings of a possible shortage came from the oil industry itself. President Roosevelt named Ickes petroleum coordinator after the industry and Office of Production Management had set up an investigating body.

Ickes immediately appealed to eastern motorists to make four gallons do the job of five, and curtail joyriding. Instead gasoline consumption jumped. The next move was to close filling stations from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. nightly. Still consumption increased. More recently gasoline distributors have reduced supplies to filling stations which in turn have been limiting purchases to essential uses.

President Roosevelt won congressional approval of legislation designed to speed the building of two big pipelines to carry oil from producing areas to the east. But these will require months for completion.

Meanwhile Ickes and defense officials have tried coordination of existing transportation facilities. Latest move along this line was creation yesterday of a tanker control board to coordinate movement of the American oil-carrying fleet.

Davies was named chairman of this board which officials said would cooperate in an attempt to fill all needs including independent oil companies which do not own tankers.

Spokesmen for the railroad industry have urged use of railroad tank cars for the emergency, asserting that more than 17,000 of these were idle.

Senator Maloney, in advance of hearings, supported this proposal by suggesting that special trains of tank cars move oil. He said added costs of rail transportation might be reduced by this method.

PETER JUNG, JR., DIES

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Peter Jung, Jr., 59, co-owner of the Jung hotel here, died last night.

IRAN CAMPAIGN PROVES WAVELL TRANSFER WISE

(Continued from First Page)

the material aid for Russia, and possible military aid as well, will come from India.

The British press admits that the ouster of Germans from Iran is a secondary objective, even though it was the stated reason for Sunday's invasion.

The main reasons admittedly are to establish a supply route to Russia and to safeguard India from the Nazi threat of which Churchill has warned.

Wavell, who spent five years in India as a young officer of the Black Watch, obviously was chosen for the job well in advance, being assigned to it as soon as the German invasion of Russia made Churchill's predictions appear even more ominous.

Wavell served also in the Caucasus with a military mission in the World war.

Whether the United States had any foreknowledge of British intentions with Iran is a matter of pure speculation, but it apparently was alive to the possibilities of the situation. On July 25 it was announced that Lieutenant-Colonel W. P. Draper and Lieutenant V. H. Sutro had arrived in India as United States military observers.

As an arsenal and troop reservoir for Britain, India has been active already. Details are closely guarded secrets, but British sources say India's war effort is increasing every day.

The trend seems to confirm what Adolf Hitler wrote 17 years ago in "Mein Kampf"—that India is the keystone of the British empire and that Britain could not and would not let go there without "risking her last drop of blood."

Churchill has said that a Nazi victory over Russia would be "only a stepping stone to India." A glance at the map will indicate that loss of India might well prove disastrous to Britain, for India is strategically situated to maintain contact with Malaya, Australia and New Zealand, Egypt and South Africa.

Two weeks ago Wavell made his first broadcast from India, saying:

"Our future efforts must continue to prevent the enemy, wherever possible, from getting within striking distance of this country."

He paid tribute to the 60,000 Indian troops who aided him in the middle east campaigns, and disclosed that 750,000 Indians already were under arms, with recruits flocking to the colors daily.

Britain's secretary of state for India, L. S. Amery, has estimated that India can raise at least 2,000,000 soldiers.

India, with a population probably close to 400,000,000 (it was 353,000,000 ten years ago and increasing faster than 10 per cent a decade) always has been a predominantly agricultural nation. The British are working to change that—to expand heavy industry, particularly armaments manufacture.

The wealth of raw materials and potential industrial manpower are staggering.

Already they are being used to make high grade steel, medium-sized guns, rifles, machine-guns and other war materials.

K. OF P. TO MEET

The local Knights of Phythias lodge will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the hall at 112 1-2 St. John street, it was announced by A. J. Lester, chancellor commander. A large crowd of members was expected to attend the session.

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NAVY WANTS 13,000 NEW MEN MONTHLY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(AP)—The navy, in its biggest peacetime bid for manpower, today made its recruiting objective 13,000 men a month for the rest of the year and 15,000 monthly thereafter.

The admirals are counting on newspaper advertisements to help do a good part of the job.

The objectives were named by Captain F. E. M. Whiting, director of recruiting, who announced that by October the navy would carry its small-town newspaper advertising campaign into thirteen more states—Nebraska, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Tennessee and Mississippi.

Captain Whiting said the eight-week advertisement series which closes this week in Missouri, Iowa and Indiana resulted in a 100 per cent increase in navy and naval reserve enlistments over the May totals in those states.

The advertisements will appear in small dailies and weeklies in Mississippi possibly the week of September 29, although the Mississippi campaign might start one week later, Captain Whiting said.

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UNTRIMMED COATS
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The U. S. Influence For Peace

It is being freely said that in some mysterious manner President Roosevelt holds the peace of Europe and of the world in his hands; that a word from him would stop the war.

That is a frightening power and responsibility to attribute to any one man. If it were literally true, it is hard to see how any man could fail immediately to exercise that power.

To what extent is it true, and in what manner? Let us see.

First, it is all too clear that the rest of the world would not stop fighting merely because the president of the United States told it to. We have long and bitter experience to prove that. We have the fact that the president, using only moral suasion, asked, most earnestly on August 25, 1939, that the war be avoided. In virtually identic notes to Herr Hitler, to President Moscicki of Poland, and to King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, he asked, in the name of all humanity, that they refrain from hostilities for a period during which negotiations could be arranged. Poland replied favorably, and Roosevelt transmitted its reply to Hitler, again appealing that "countless human lives can yet be saved, and hope may still be restored . . . if you will agree to the pacific means of settlement accepted by Poland . . . ." In vain.

There is no reason to believe that today an appeal on purely humanitarian grounds would have any effect at all.

On what ground, then? Only on the ground of action, immediate or potential, by the United States. Even the peace appeal of former Ambassador Cudahy had an "or else."

What action, then?

One possible action would be to threaten the British with cutting off all material aid. Perhaps, seeing then that they could not win, the British would sue for peace, which, based on the existing military situation and the known German ambitions, could be little different from the "peace" of complete German victory.

Another possible course would be to threaten the Germans that we would declare war if they refused a peace based on the Eight Points. But that implies willingness to back up the offer with an "or else," which is just the possibility which those will not admit who are most zealous in suggesting peace.

In short, any influence which the United States may now have in world affairs rests primarily on two things: the force at its disposal, and its apparent willingness to use that force to back up the kind of a peace it believes to be right.

The only realistic influence for peace that the United States has at the moment lies in building tremendous force and power, and committing that power only to the support of such belligerents as give evidence of being willing to create a decent peace; retaining the right to shift that support to any power which at any time gives credible evidence of working toward such a peace.

Manhattan
By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—We are going to have a lot of braves, squaws and chiefs puttering around in the theater this winter. . . . At any rate an Inca Indian, who says his full title is His Supreme Highness Prince Cante Waste, has opened an office on Fifth avenue with the intention of producing a vast Indian musical extravaganza. He'll use several hundred Indians recruited from government reservations. If the Prince Cante Waste it on Broadway, he'll be a very paradoxical young man.

T. Dorsey is back on his Jersey farm after his adventures in Johns Hopkins hospital, in Baltimore, where he parted with his tonsils. That was a lively session he had with the doctors. His room was outfitted with radios and a recording device, and he occupied his free moments making all sorts of nonsensical recordings. Then, too, there were the telegrams and the telephone calls to be answered. One of the Broadway writers made a little slip in calculations and announced that Dorsey had been on the operating table "12 1-2 hours." . . . The calls from everywhere literally poured in.

Tommy also figured in a little impromptu adventure in the Astor lobby some time ago, absolutely unprogrammed. He has a bad ankle. Suddenly it gave way under him and he collapsed. . . . Somebody yelled "Get a Doctor." . . . A guest who had just walked in yelled, "All right, tell me who to call . . . I'll call him." . . . The guest, it turned out, was none other than old Dr. Kildare himself—Lew Ayres.

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This happened during a rehearsal of the Rudy Vallee program. . . . Dick Mack, who is the producer, yelled to his secretary: "Say, have you got John Barrymore's telephone number?"

"Yes," she said.

"Then give it to Mr. Barrymore. He wants to call his home."

Morton Gould has just composed a concerto for "Tap Dancing" for Paul Draper, who will introduce it at Carnegie Hall this fall. . . . It always startles me when I remember that Dorothy Lamour used to operate an elevator in a Chicago department store. . . . By the time you are reading this I'll be sail fishing in Florida, I hope. . . . Most of the producers are crying about the shortage of pretty girls. . . . Their complaint is that the model agencies have them all under contract—a situation this column intends to explore. . . .

A horseshoe-shaped rock near Durham, N. C., is said to have been used by Indian tribes in praying for aid from their war gods.

Jimmie Fidler

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 28.—Since my remarks a few days ago about the struggle of old character actor Luke Cosgrave to earn sufficient (few enough) dollars this quarter and next to entitle him to unemployment relief, I've had a deluge of letters that have opened my eyes.

Amazingly, I find that a great many veterans—men and women who have devoted their lives to acting—are in Old Luke's shoes. This town is apparently dotted with oldtimers, many beyond the age of sixty, who are pitifully begging for enough work—extra jobs, bits, anything—to entitle them to receive unemployment relief or old age pensions.

Even though these veterans may number hundreds, I still say what I said in the beginning: The movie industry can easily make it possible for them to earn enough money to entitle them to government relief in one form or another.

There is work to be given out. There is demand for extras. Jobs are being given to friends and relatives and friends of relatives and relatives of friends. Some of those jobs could go to oldtimers who are in desperate circumstances.

Things are fearfully twisted in this industry, when its head men boast of the hundreds of thousands of dollars raised for British Relief, Chinese Relief, Greek Relief and every other kind of foreign relief, while right here in its own back yard, the cries of indigent home folk and hungry neighbors go unheard, or unheeded.

Central Casting Bureau is trying to help such cases, but the bureau is handicapped. This is a task, a duty, for the entire industry to take over.

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The inside: Real reason for Cary Grant's much-discussed Mexican jaunt is to invest $300,000 in silver mines there. . . . Opportunity: Kay Kyser, who goes concert-touring come October, will use a local gal-soloist in each stopover and select one, at close of the tour, as permanent replacement for Ginny Simms. . . . Bullseye: Oleson and Johnson, practicing with bow and arrow, scored a hit where Martha Raye's weight rests while seated. . . . Torch or Revenge?: The leading character in Bubbles Schinasi's new book (Bennett Cerf, publisher) is patterned after ex-hubby Wayne Morris. . . . Swank: Fred Astaire is building a private golf course on his San Diego county ranch. . . . Added Attraction: John Murray Anderson's new night club will have wax figures of Mae West and Clark Gable in, respectively, the men's and ladies' rest rooms. . . . Alias: Ernst Lubitsch, Jr., adopted son of the director, has name-changed to Ernest Lewis. . . . Altar-Bound: NY producer Georgie Hale and Lucille Casey, Conover lovely, have that aisle-do look. . . . Romantic: Happy Felton of "Hellzapoppin'" and Jane of the Callahan Sisters are heartsapoppin'. . . .

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The Hollywood Parade: Jeffrey Lynn, concentrationist. Mr. Lynn's ability to "stick to his subject" was demonstrated recently when he talked exactly 1 hour and 46 minutes about his pipe collection, not stopping until his auditor fell sound asleep. . . . Michele Morgan, Hollywood novice. So unused to star practice is Miss Morgan that she interrupted a recent vacation and flew back to Hollywood to give a magazine writer a scheduled interview, merely because she wanted to keep her promise. . . . Victor McLaglen, man of iron. Sostern is Mr. McLaglen's self-restraint that even during the late British campaign in Irak, where, during World war No. 1, he was provost marshal of Bagdad, he refrained from either writing a book or lecturing his friends.

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Headlines and what they mean: A local trade daily reports that "Life Begins for Andy Hardy" is breaking all box-office records for the series. This means, since the picture definitely carries Mickey Rooney into young manhood, that MGM'ers can quit worrying about added years hurting his appeal and congratulate themselves on a star who's here to stay . . . From a box-office bulletin: "'Fantasia' Grosses $2,400,000 to Date." This means, in view of the fact that "Fantasia" has played only twelve key theaters to date, that Hollywood producers who have argued the American public won't support good music on the screen, are due for red faces.

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Our Children
By ANGELO PATRI

DON'T SACRIFICE FOR LUXURIES

Fortunately for us, it is not possible to see into the future. But by taking a little thought we can avoid some difficulties for our children by not creating them. Before starting any positive course of education for a child it is well to look far enough ahead and ask, "Can I hope to complete this course or am I going to have to drop it and begin another and very different one?"

Most little girls are attractive, and seemingly very bright, some of them markedly so. This brilliance may last, in a few. For the many it merges into high grade intelligence short of genius. Now and then a parent pounces upon this showing of ability and begins training the 3-year-old child for the stage, or the opera. Unless genius is so manifestly present as not to be denied, it is best to let the child have its normal, happy childhood and go on from there. Genius is not normal and is rarely happy.

When sending a child to school it is best, for the child's sake, to send him or her to a school well within the means of the family. Then it will not be necessary, when the expense becomes too heavy, to withdraw the child and send him or her to a cheaper school, or to public school. Such experiences are shocking to the child. Forethought might save that shock.

It is very unwise to try to push a child into a social group which does not include his family. Some people make great sacrifices to do this, sending the children to select schools, giving them dancing lessons, riding, camping, with children from homes quite out of their experience.

The families in question rarely accept such children. Their sons and daughters marry in their own group. When school is out all relationship is out as well, and only the bills are left to show the cost of the children's unhappiness. Start on a scale you can maintain.

Give the children the best education, the best environment you are able to pay for. That is right always. The only caution to be observed is, "Can you finish what you have begun?" It is unfair, it is disastrous, to put children in a false position socially, or any other way.

Don't make sacrifices to buy fashionable clothes, sports outfits and school privileges. It is hard enough when one makes such sacrifices for the necessities of education. That hardship one bears because one must, and the children do benefit by them. The sacrifices which are made to provide luxuries for children whose people cannot enjoy them for themselves, cannot afford to pay for them for the children, are not profitable to anybody. They are false and their effect is bad.

The children who have been taught to face life as it is in their own homes, to share in its ups and downs, to work for what they get and to strive for achievement and happiness, will make their way up the ladder. Their future rests on a sound foundation. Those placed in a false position, trained to sham, rarely find happiness.

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THE HAY FEVER VIEWPOINT



Washington Daybook
By Jack Stinnett

WASHINGTON—Senator Carl Hayden, Arizona, shepherding the now vetoed $320,000,000 defense highway bill through the senate, gave an enlightening exposition on distribution of federal highway funds.

Going back to 1933 and the days of the $3,300,000,000 relief bill, Senator Hayden explained that he had gone to the president and outlined his belief that the quickest way to put people to work would be to earmark a portion of the relief funds for highway construcion.

The president said he had delegated relief to four members of the cabinet, Secretary of War Dern, Secretary of Labor Perkins, Secretary of Interior Ickes and Secretary of Agriculture Wallace. Dern and Wallace immediately approved the plan. Secretaries Ickes and Perkins balked.

They were, Senator Hayden declared, without political experience. They felt that the funds should be disbursed in unemployment centers. Talking to Secretary Ickes, the senator said: "Mr. Secretary, you are new and without political experience. If it becomes known in Arizona that a man named Ickes has money in Washington to improve the road between Tucson and Phoenix, and the people ask me to get some money for that road, I am coming to see you."

Secretary Ickes explained that there were at least some senators who were willing to take that chance.

Yes, Senator Hayden explained, some senators would be willing to take a chance on getting there before the other fellow, but finally "you will have 96 senators and 435 representatives on your neck, whereas if the matter is handled in the normal way, and the money is apportioned among the states, so that the work can be decentralized, you will not be bothered with it at all."

Without 'Political Experience'

The senator then reported to the president that "two members of the cabinet who understood the situation" approved earmarking the funds and apportioning them to the states; but "that two members who were without political experience objected and wanted to create a great bureaucracy in Washington, which would compel the sponsor of every road project to come to Washington and secure its approval."

The president did not want that, Senator Hayden said, adding that "that was before the bureaucrats in Washington had had time to influence his thinking."

So, with the aid of attorneys from the comptroller general's office, Senator Hayden drew the legislation which gave the states $400,000,000 for highways—on a population and mileage apportionment basis that has been our policy ever since. There is no more mystery to it than that.

But that doesn't explain all the mystery behind the present defense highway act. The original survey, completed last February, gathered dust for months while various departments and agencies argued about who would have charge of it. Finally, only $125,000,000 was asked, with the suggestion that it be disbursed by the president on a basis of defense needs.

When the bill finally passed, congress had upped the sum to $320,000,000 and gone back to the old apportionment policy. Dubbed as pure "pork-barrel" legislation by its opponents, the measure was vetoed by the president and the veto upheld in the house by the narrowest margin.

Split Party Lines

One of the most interesting things about the veto was how it split party lines. It brought Senator Arthur H. Vandenburg to the president's defense and called forth the remark from Senator Kenneth McKellar, "I have been here eight years under the administration of Mr. Roosevelt, and, so far as I recall, this is the first and only time the senator has ever argued that President Roosevelt should be trusted."

Senator Vandenburg answered, "Well, this is the first and only time I can remember that the president has ever said anything about economy."

A new defense highway bill to take care of the bridges in the country that won't carry a medium tank and to build access roads to military and defense industrial centers already is in the making. Best guess is that the new bill will total about $100,000,000 less than the one that smashed up on the presidential veto.

15 Years Ago

August 28, 1926

Protection from forest fires in this area is being continually strengthened and each year sees a larger, better-equipped army prepared to battle the flames that have taken in the past such an enormous toll. The most recent event in this campaign against the demon fire hereabouts is the completion of a new telephone line in Ouachita parish, serving as an alarm system covering the lands of the Brown Paper Mill Company. Fifteen miles of lines are now in service. These are linked with the Brown Mill's tower No. 1, located in section 24, township 16, 14 miles south and a little west of Monroe. On the lines are four telephone stations at which there are patrolmen located at all times.

Tentative plans are being formulated for the establishment of a new parish tuberculosis permanent camp near D' Arbonne, where a tract of land has been recently purchased. The site is one of the highest in the parish, finely wooded and otherwise well adapted to the purpose. Plans for the buildings are being discussed and definite announcement will be made soon by President G. B. Cooley, of the Ouachita Parish Tuberculosis and Public Health Association.

The firm name of H. H. Boyd and Company, stationery and office supplies, has been changed to that of the Standard Office Supply Company. Since it was organized here by H. H. Boyd and L. P. Abernathy in February, 1924, the concern has made a remarkable growth.

BAPTIST MEET ENDS

FORT WORTH, Tex., Aug. 28.—(AP)—The Southwestern Baptist Education association concluded its sessions here yesterday after electing these officers: Othal Feather, Austin, president; W. H. Souther, Alexandria, La., Rev. J. L. Carpenter, Waco, Tex., Miss Blanche Mays, Little Rock, Ark., and R. S. Eazzell, Oklahoma City, vice-presidents; Mrs. Ellis Province, Dallas, secretary-treasurer, and Miss Beth Floyd, Austin, Tex., social secretary.

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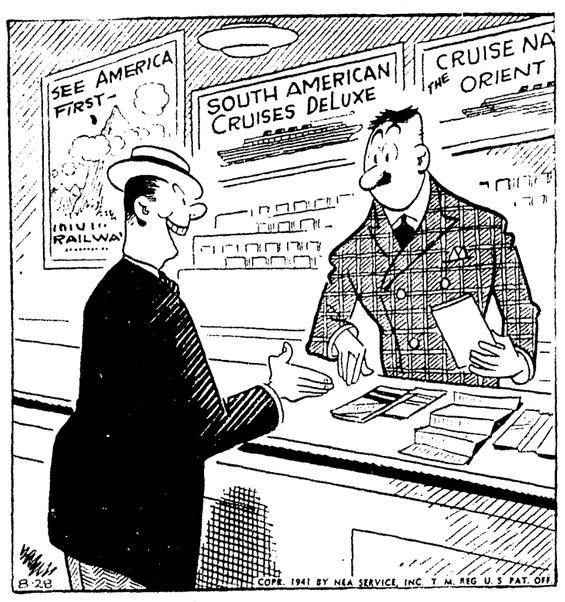
Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hrs. for MT.

Daylight Saving Time One Hour Later

(Changes in programs as listed due to last minute network corrections.)

4:30—We the Abbots, Serial—nbc-red
Drama Behind News—nbc-blue-east
The Chansonette Or.—nbc-blue-west
The O'Neill's Serial Series—cbs-basic
Capers Over the Keyboard—cbs-Dixie
John Stringer Sings, Ensemble—mbs
4:45—Jack Armstrong — nbc-red-east
Features from Music—nbc-red-west
Wings on the Watch—nbc-blue-east
J. Johnston & Song — nbc-blue-west
Cleveland's Wings Over Jordan—cbs
Uncle Ned's Texas Wranglers—mbs
5:00—The Three Suns, a Trio—nbc-red
Escorts and Betty — nbc-blue-east
Ireene Wicker Story—nbc-blue-west
Albert Warner at Washington—cbs
News; Dancing Music Orchest.—mbs
5:10—Sports Broadcasting — cbs-basic
5:15—The Three Suns; News—nbc-red
The Texas Rhythm Boys—nbc-blue-east
The Barron's Sketch—nbc-blue-west
Bob Edge Talk About Outdoors—cbs
5:30—"Speaking of Liberty"—nbc-red
Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-blue-east
Drama Behind News—nbc-blue-west
Paul Sullivan and Comment—cbs-east
Program from Chicago — cbs-west
Clauser's Oklahoma Outlaws — mbs
5:45—Paul Douglas on Sports—nbc-red
Lowell Thomas, News—nbc-blue-bas.
Wings on Watch rpt.—nbc-blue-west
War and World News of Today—cbs
Latin-American Music Group — mbs
6:00—F. Waring Time — nbc-red-east
Herbert Foote Organ—nbc-red-west
Easy Aces, Drama Serial—nbc-blue
Amos 'n' Andy Serial Skit—cbs-east
Four Clubmen and Songs—cbs-west
Fulton Lewis Jr. Comment — mbs
6:15—Europe War Broadcast—nbc-red
Mr. Keen, Dramatic Serial—nbc-blue
Lanny Ross and His Song—cbs-east
Chicago's String Quartet — cbs-west
Here's That Morgan Program—mbs
6:30—Xavier Cugat Or.—nbc-red-east
Dance Music Orches.—nbc-red-west
Intermezzo from Orches. — nbc-blue
Maudie's Diary, Sketch — cbs-basic
To Be Announced (30 m.)—cbs-Dixie
Arthur Hale's News Comment—mbs
6:45—H. V. Kaltenborn—nbc-red-west
Jack Stevens Sports Talk—mbs-east
7:00—Housewarming Variety—nbc-red
This Is Judy Jones, Skit—nbc-blue
"Death Valley Days," Dramatic—cbs
Wythe Williams and Comment—mbs
7:15—Sky Over Britain, Drama—mbs
7:30—The Aldrich Family — nbc-red
To Be Announced (15 m.)—nbc-blue
Barbershop Quartets in Action—cbs
Berlin News; Music; Dancing—mbs
7:55—Elmer Davis and Comment—cbs
8:00—The Music Hall Hour—nbc-red
Concert at Grant Park — nbc-blue
Major Bowes Broadcast Hour — cbs
"F.B.I."—For Your Information—mbs
8:15—To Be Announced (15 m.)—mbs
8:30—All-Star Football to 11—nbc-blue
All-Star Football to 11:30 — mbs
9:00—Vallee-Barrymore—nbc-red-bas.
Xavier Cugat's repeat—nbc-red-west
Glenn Miller and His Orchestra—cbs
9:15—Prof. Quiz Doing His Quiz—cbs
9:30—Good Neighbors Prog.—nbc-red
9:45—World News Broadcasting—cbs
10:00—News for 15 Mins.—nbc-red-east
Fred Waring's repeat—nbc-red-west
Dancing Music Orchestra — cbs-east
Amos and Andy in repeat—cbs-west
10:15—Dancing Orc.; News—all chains
Lanny Ross rpt. (15 min.)—cbs-west

FUNNY BUSINESS



"Two tickets to Honolulu! I'm going to have a real vacation—my wife always gets seasick!"

MADE UP TO KILL
by Kelley Roos

Chapter 25
Bad For Tommy

SOMEONE said "Hello," and I recognized Amelia's slow, heavy voice. I clanked the receiver on the hook.

"Your little roommate . . . did they . . . is she all right?"

I was running my finger down the B's to find the Bristol Hotel. I wished fervently that this tall gray woman would let me alone—yet I was borrowing her phone, and it would have been difficult to tell her to be quiet. I found the number at last, and dialed the number.

"Good afternoon, Bristol Hotel," said a lilting female voice.

"Tom Neilson, please, quick!"

There was a pause, then the voice came again over the wire, still lilting. "Sorry, Mr. Neilson has left word that he is not to be disturbed."

"He's got to be disturbed. I've got to talk to him."

"Sorry. Mr. Neilson has left word . . ."

"Listen," I said, and my voice was definitely not lilting, "this is important. I'm calling for the police. You ring Tom Neilson's room and you ring it right away."

I heard the buzzes then, short impatient ones. I counted ten of them and I jiggled the receiver hook. "Will you have him paged, please?" I asked when the girl answered.

The gray woman touched me lightly on the shoulder. Her face was worried and she was biting her lip. "This Mr. Neilson you're calling. Is he a . . . a suspect?"

"You bet your life he is," I said grimly, holding the receiver against my cheek.

"You mean it's possible that he might have tried to kill Miss Blanton?"

I nodded. I could hear a bellhop calling Mr. Neilson at the other end.

"And his first name is Tom . . . Tommy?"

"Yes. Tommy Neilson. He was in our show."

She walked to the window and looked out into the street. "There's quite a crowd in front of the Esquador. Three police cars and I don't know how many policemen."

The operator at the Bristol was back. "Sorry, Mr. Neilson doesn't seem to be in the hotel just now. Is there any message?"

I hung up and started for the door.

"Wait a second! Please, just a second!" The woman was standing with her back to the window, grasping the sills with each hand, and the knuckles shone white through her bony fingers. I stopped. She glanced out into the street again, then back at me. Her lips tightened as she spoke. "I . . . I think I have some evidence."

I looked at her sharply. "Evidence? You don't mean you saw who fired that shot?"

She shook her head. "No, no. Nothing like that. Nothing like that at all. Why, I was . . . I was in my kitchenette when I heard the shot, and when I ran to the window there was no one there. It's something else, something I . . . I overheard."

"Overheard? Where?"

"In your apartment. One night about two weeks ago. I was sitting in that big armchair over close by the wall reading. And the voices came out to me very distinctly. I had no intention of listening, absolutely none at all. I just happened to overhear, that's all."

She blushed furiously as she spoke and I knew at once that she hadn't happened to overhear anything. The woman was a chronic eavesdropper. I thought of some of the rare and spicy tidbits she could have picked up in my apartment during the last year, and I felt myself reddening with her. For a moment we must have looked like a couple of Indian squaws.

"Your little friend, Miss Blanton, was there. We've spoken to each other several times in the elevator and in the lobby and I recognized her voice immediately. The person she was talking to was a man whom she called Tommy. That's why I thought . . . when I heard you calling . . ."

"I'll Kill You"

"YES. It was probably Tommy Neilson. He's been up several times."

"I don't believe that anyone else was there because they were quarreling."

"Quarreling? Tommy and Carol?"

"Oh, yes. Yes, quite violently. They raised their voices and talked very loud. That's why I happened to overhear them, you understand."

"Yes, of course."

"I couldn't hear all they said because they spoke so fast. You know how people do when they're angry. But I did hear one thing and it worried me even then. Not much, of course, for people say things they don't mean when they're angry and their tempers are aroused. But then, nothing had happened to Miss Blanton and I forgot about it, really."

She stopped and knitted her bony fingers together, studying them intently. "I thought it wasn't any of my business because if I hadn't been sitting in that one chair I probably wouldn't have overheard. There's no reason why I should become involved in a thing like this simply because I happened to be sitting in that chair. But if this building is going to be filled with those strange looking men who Jinx tells me are detectives and people are going to fire bullets into the window right next to mine, I suppose I'll have to make it my business."

"Yes, I understand." I thought that if she didn't get to the point I would do her some physical damage. "What was this one thing you heard?"

"I heard him say," she said slowly, 'I will kill you first!'"

I gulped audibly. "You . . . you must be mistaken!"

She shook her iron-gray head. "No. Those are his exact words. 'I will kill you first,' he said. Of course," she added with a pathetic eagerness, "he probably was jesting. People say foolish things when they're excited. I'm sure there's absolutely nothing in it."

I thought of Alice McDonald's story and then laughed at myself. Of course there was nothing in it. If Tommy Neilson had threatened Carol she would have told us. She would have been afraid of him, and she wasn't.

Yet why on earth should this woman, who was obviously relieving her conscience and would give her right arm to have nothing to do with this mess, invent such a tale?

I looked at her suspiciously. "Why haven't you said anything about this before? The papers have been full of the murder for two days now."

"Because I didn't want to get mixed up in any vile murder case," she said defiantly. "I'm a schoolteacher. I have my work to think about, my job to take into consideration."

"Well, thank you very much. I'll tell someone what you've just told me at once." I started for the door but she caught me before I quite made it.

"You . . . you don't have to tell the police, do you?"

"Naturally, I do. Why not?"

She fidgeted nervously. "They won't want to question me, will they? Detectives, I mean, and policemen. They won't be coming up here to my apartment?"

"They won't hurt you."

Carol Clears It Up

I LEFT her looking not at all reassured and went back to my place. Jeff was sitting by the telephone scribbling something on a piece of paper and paying no attention to Carol who sat bolt upright on the couch and rubbed her chin with a tentative motion.

"Well?" demanded Jeff.

"Wait a minute." I went straight to the point. "Carol, did Tommy Neilson ever say that he would kill you, or anything like that?"

Her eyes met mine, but she seemed bewildered. Apparently she had not recovered from the table's left uppercut to the jaw.

"What are you rattling about?" Jeff cut in.

"I explained about Miss Talmadge and what she had overheard. "I think she is telling the truth," I finished in time to hear Carol gasp.

Carol sat very still and a strange little sound burst from her lips. She said slowly, "Yes, it's true. But he didn't mean it. He was just talking the way you do when you're hurt and angry. I swear that he didn't mean a thing and I swear that Tommy never tried to kill me. I know he didn't."

"Why?" Jeff was looking at her intently.

"Because . . . because he loves me."

"Suppose you start right out now, Carol, and clear this whole thing up for me."

Carol's hands were clasped tightly in her lap. She hesitated as though she couldn't find a way to begin. "It's awfully hard. It sounds so terrible and . . . and damaging, and really it's silly and innocent. What Tommy said, I mean. You see, when we first started rehearsals Tommy was nice to me. He took me to lunch sometimes and to dinner and bought me cigarettes. I think that Haila asked him to . . . to be kind to me."

Over Carol's head I nodded at Jeff but didn't interrupt her. "He was swell and I liked him lots. He was always saying funny things and acting crazy and we had a good time together. And then all of a sudden there was Steve, and Steve and I loved each other and everything was so beautiful that I . . . I just forgot about Tommy, I guess. And then I saw what had been happening to him and I hadn't even noticed. And I was scared and terribly unhappy."

"What had been happening, I take it, was that Tommy had fallen in love with you."

Carol nodded. "I couldn't help realize it, Jeff. I would have been a fool not to. I should have known it sooner except that I . . . I wasn't paying much attention to anyone or anything but Steve. And then when I knew about Tommy at last I had to do something. He had been so sweet and I . . . I just couldn't let things go on and hurt him even more. So I told him."

To be continued

CIVIL SERVICE TO HOLD EXAMINATION

The United States civil service commission announced Thursday an open competitive examination for the position of fireman, marine toil burners. The examination will be for filling vacancies in the Vicksburg, Miss., engineer district. The salary of the position is $1,260 to $1,620 a year, less a retirement reduction of three and one-half per cent, and $426 yearly for subsistence and quarters when furnished.

Applicants must show that they have had at least six months of paid experience in firing steam boilers, at least three months of which must have been in marine service. At least three months of experience in burning fuel oil must be shown. They must have reached their 18th birthday but must not have passed their 50th birthday on the closing date for receipt of applications. The age limits do not apply to persons granted military preference because of military or naval service, nor to permanent employes in the classified civil service, except that such applicants must not have reached the retirement age.

Applications should be filed with the Secretary, Board of United States Civil Service Examiners, United States Engineer Office, Postoffice Box 60, Vicksburg, Miss., on or before the close of business on September 24, 1941. Full information and application blanks may be obtained from that office, the Secretary, Board of United States Civil Service Examiners, at any first- or second-class postoffice; or from the Manager, Fifth United States Civil Service District, New Postoffice Building, Atlanta, Ga.

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Annual Affair Given For Recent Alumnae

Local Delta Beta Sigma Alumnae Chapter Entertains With Gay Supper

A social function which has been given for so many summers that it has become established as an annual custom is the party with which the Delta Beta Sigma alumnae entertain their sisters who, as new graduates from high school, are now eligible for membership in the alumnae chapter.

Always a colorful and novel event, the party this year took the form of a gay supper. It was given at the B. M. McKoin estate at Edgewater Gardens.

The spacious terrace, with vivid flowers blooming on three sides, was the setting for the supper. Bright Fiesta china in colors of red, green, yellow, and blue was arranged to contrast with the equally bright tablecloths upon which it was placed.

Guests and hostesses supped at tables for four, and when they had finished, adjourned to the lawn for hours of sprightly conversation.

President of the alumnae chapter, Miss Carolyn Husted, headed the list of hostesses in making their guests welcome. Mrs. B. M. McKoin assisted in extending courtesies.

Among the hostesses were: Miss Marilyn Marshall, Miss Adelaide Parker, Miss Mary Lavinia Inabnet, Miss Betty Middleton, Miss Jeanne Graves, Miss Kathleen Myers, Miss Ann Fulson, Miss Floye Rhodes, Miss Beverly Peevy, Miss Joyce McKoin, Miss Mildred Keller, Miss Doris Mae Beasley, Miss Martha Ann Moore, Miss Laura Flournoy, Miss Ann Atkins, Miss Douglass Pettis of Bastrop, and Mrs. Bill Fudickar of Bastrop.

The new alumnae who were guests included: Miss Barbara Faulk, Miss Sue Mary Moore, Miss Nan Drew, Miss Bernice Handy, Miss Gene Flournoy, Miss Betty Jean Hardeman, Miss Virginia Newman, Miss Jeannette Clarkson, Miss Eleanor Roye, Miss Charlotte Padgett, Miss Laura Louise Patton, and Miss Alice Brauer.

The alumnae chapter for the coming school term will meet for reelection of officers in the near future. It will be composed of girls who attend Northeast Junior college and others who will be in Monroe during the winter.

Major F. P. Rizzo and family are in Monroe visiting relatives and friends. Major Rizzo is stationed at Jackson barracks in New Orleans where he is on duty with the Louisiana selective service headquarters as chief of the medical division of selective service.

Mrs. Claude Everette and daughter, Barbara, of El Dorado, Ark., Mrs. John Moody of El Dorado, Ark., Miss Frankie Miles of Moss Point, Miss., and J. D. and Donald Everette of Culver City, Calif., were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Wilhite this week.

Misses Sarah and Catherine Buttitta, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. C Buttitta, are back in Monroe after an extended trip through the north. They visited relatives in New York, Chicago, Milwaukee and Benton Harbor, Mich.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodge were Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Fletcher and Shirley Rae Fletcher of Marceline, Mo.

A recent visitor in the home of Miss Peggy Hodge was her cousin, Miss Shirley Rae Fletcher, of Marceline, Mo. During her visit in Monroe she was made the honor guest at several social affairs.

Her hostess, Miss Hodge, entertained for her with a chicken spaghetti supper, given on board the Brown Kraft boat. Guests enjoyed hours of riding, singing and dancing, climaxed by the supper.

Among those who attended were Miss Shirley Rae Fletcher, Miss Beth Ann Cutler, Miss Betty Joe Ford, Miss Peggy Hodge, Miss Mary Hodge, Miss Lucille Myer of Marceline, Mo., Lawrence Vaughan, John Humphries, Jimmie Myrack of Shreveport, Don Myers, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Fletcher of Marceline, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Godfrey and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodge.

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Coming Events

Thursday

There will be an initiation meeting of the Monroe Assembly No. 5, Order of the Rainbow for Girls at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic temple. Masons and Eastern Stars are invited.

Meeting of the Julia Reed club at the home of Mrs. C. R. Pedigo, 1414 Fairview, at 8 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 29

The Sigma Phi Omega fraternity will hold its annual summer dance Frances hotel from 10 p.m. 'til 2 a.m. Admittance by invitation only.

Monday

The Welcome Garden club will meet at the Frances Hotel at 3:00 p.m. Slides on "Fascination of Flower Arrangements" will be shown in addition to the regular program.

Tuesday

The St. Matthew's Catholic Ladies' Altar society will meet at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Albert Horuff.

Circles of Stone Avenue Methodist Church will meet at 2:30 p.m. as follows:

No. 1—Mrs. J. Zufall, 504 Moore St.
No. 2—Mrs. R. L. Hales, Polk St.

Wednesday (September 3)

Meeting of the Bobashelas Book club at 3:45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. W. D. Clark, 201 Parnell Street, West Monroe, with Mrs. H. A. Gentry and Mrs. K. D. Hayes the co-hostesses.

The watermelon party which Mrs. T. M. Hammonds gave a few days ago might well fall into the category of a reunion, for it was given in honor of her two sisters, from whom she had been separated for 50 years.

The two guests of honor were Mrs. Annie L. Mayes of Santa Ana, Calif., and Mrs. J. L. Armour of Yokum, Tex. Several friends and relatives gathered at Mrs. Hammonds' home to greet the visitors. A childhood friend, Mrs. Hattie McCormick, was present to talk over nostalgic memories with the three sisters.

Other guests were Mrs. Dick Stivers, Moses Stivers, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Landrum, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cruse, Mrs. Herbert H. Strozier and daughter, Hazel Karen, and T. M. Hammonds.

Friends of Miss Willie Mae Cash will be glad to learn that she has recovered from an extended illness and is now able to receive visitors at her home, 410 South Fifth street, West Monroe.

Mrs. Laura Bonar has returned to Monroe after a visit of several days with her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Keith of Shreveport.

Mrs. J. W. McWilliams has returned from a three-month vacation spent with relatives and friends in Virginia, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

Mrs. Ann Buckley has returned to her home in Springfield, Mo., after having been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Mitchell for several weeks.

Jesse Gongalez and Jack Buttitta, Jr., vacationed in Mexico this year. Among the places they visited were Mexico City, Guatahala, and Monterrey.

Mrs. H. M. James and daughters, Jacquelyn and Joy, have returned from a six weeks' visit to New Mexico and California, where they attended many places of interest.

From New Orleans comes Miss Edna Ward and Miss Birdie Ann Waguespack, who are visiting Miss Ruth Elaine Robinson of this city.

WILL BREAK GROUND FOR BAPTIST CHURCH

RUSTON, La., Aug. 28.—(Special)—Ground will be broken Monday morning preparatory to construction of a new $50,000 Temple Baptist church on the congregation's lot on West Alabama avenue here.

A Victory day celebration on Sunday has been arranged by the pastor, Dr. A. S. Newman. Dr. W. H. Knight, executive secretary of the Louisiana Baptist convention, will deliver an address at the temporary Temple church Sunday afternoon. Dr. T. W. Gayer, superintendent of the Louisiana Baptist Children's home at Monroe, will preach the evening sermon. Rev. J. F. McClelland, rural evangelist, will speak Sunday morning.

The new building to be started Monday will consist of a main auditorium and two wings for educational purposes. It will replace the wooden tabernacle used by the congregation for 13 years.

SERVICE STATION WILL BE OPENED

Opening of a new service station in Monroe—Lou's Service station—has been set for September 1, according to Lou Rosenberg, owner and operator. The new station will be located at 236 South Grand street.

Featuring 30-minute battery service, Lou's station also will specialize in garage and storage departments. Tires, tubes and automobile accessories, all quality products, will be available at the modern establishment.

Mr. Rosenberg is well known here, having been in the service station business for more than 10 years. For eight years, he was connected with the Saul Adler firms and for two had his own place at 120 Jackson street.

Thanking his numerous friends and patrons for their past business dealings with him, Mr. Rosenberg invited them to visit his new establishment.

The first record of a white man scaling Whiteface mountain, mile-high peak of the Adirondacks, was in 1814.

HAVE ACTIVE PART IN PLANNING CONVENTION



Three local residents who will have an active part in entertaining master beauticians and barbers in their state convention here Sunday and Monday are, from left to right, Ruth Ross, Otis Johnson and Cassyle B. Ringo. Mrs. Ross is honorary president of Chapter 900, Associated Master Beauticians of America and inspector of beauty shops in northeast Louisiana; Mr. Johnson is president of the Associated Master Barbers and Beauticians of Louisiana and also secretary-treasurer of Chapter 255, Associated Master Barbers, and Mrs. Ringo is secretary-treasurer of Chapter 900, Associated Master Beauticians.

OVERTON, PELTIER CALL ON MAESTRI

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Senator John H. Overton, Democrat, Louisiana, and former State Senator Harvey Peltier of Lafourche parish, after calling on Mayor Robert S. Maestri here yesterday, described their visit as "just a social call."

Overton said he had been in the state for about 10 days while Peltier said it was the first time he had seen Maestri since the last gubernatorial campaign when the mayor backed Peltier for lieutenant-governor on the Earl Long ticket.

First $2 movies were shown not on Broadway but in Alaska during the gold rush of 1901. . . . A ham sandwich cost a dollar and a half and a slice of pie a silver dollar.—Film Index.

F. D. R.'S MAIL IS OPENED HERE

Recruiting Officer Discovers Patriot, Inventor Of War Machines

Unwittingly the army recruiting officer here Thursday morning opened the president's mail—and discovered that Archie, La., has a native negro son who literally is all-out for national defense. The youth who penned the letter not only wanted to join the army, but offered his services for valuable inventions which he assured Mr. Roosevelt would cinch the war in a flash.

The letter was addressed to the local army recruiting office and, naturally, was opened by Sergeant Harold B. McNemar, recruiting officer. It read as follows:

"Dear Mr. Present Dent Rosevelt, as you are present dent I want to tell you that the war guns you have is no good for the water and air. Let me make the gun that I have in view. The one I have in view will be use for only air and water battling. How much will you give me to envent a new gun better for war than you have. All so, will give you better ideal than you have about airplans. Put a V-8 moter in a airplane moter of moter 1940 and u rite and tell me do yor airplane horn aloud. A idia of new gun is tell the matches co. to make you a match head size of a bullet and put some powder in a hull and then put your matches head in the hull and see if it want shoot a long wase and strick when it hit and burn up things. Just the gun to shot into gurmine ships or shoot it out of the air and it will hit into gurmines towns and burn it down. If these thing is not invented, write for me and I will show you how to do these things. Take me in the army and put me in the mounkey shop and you will find out that I was just the one you wanted, age 18 born 1922, negro, brown eyes, brown boy, light black hair, willing to die any time and any where. I don't hav no home. Just put me in your army shop and give me a half of chance an I will do business for you. I will put out new war vessels. (Write at once to the name of Henry David Williams, Jr., Archie, La.)

P. S.: Just let me own a army suit and hat, shoes, legorns, tie and belt to come in hat size 5 1-8, shoe size 9, shirt size 14 inches in neck, pants 30 in. in west in same size 21 inches, tie, the color of suit, hat like this one (pencil drawing of army hat)

I am 6 feet tall, waite 135 pounds. Send me the army outfit to come over here to fixe me up like a sorgia boy please and I will do business at once to win the ware."

OAK GROVE MAN'S FUNERAL IS HELD

OAK GROVE, La., Aug. 28.—(Special)—Funeral services were held today for Herbert Keeton, 29, who was killed instantly shortly after noon Wednesday when a boiler which he and four others were using to dismantle an oil well rig 15 miles southwest of here exploded. Keeton's companions were scalded by steam.

Those burned were E. F. Howell, Murry Richburg and E. L. Kirkland, all of Oak Grove, and David Crow, of Shreveport. Keeton lived near Oak Grove.

The explosion occurred shortly after the crew had lighted the boiler in order to get steam with which to force the drill stem down. The boiler was blown nearly 200 feet from the well.

Keeton is survived by his widow; two children, Ruby Jewel and Earl Keeton; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Keeton of Morton, Miss.; four brothers, C. F. Keeton of Morton, Guy and C. O. Keeton of Forest, Miss., and Jones Keeton of Greenville, Miss.; and three sisters, Mrs. Walter Gatewood of Norris, Miss., and Mrs. Velma Usher and Mrs. Cleo Craig, both of Morton.

Funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock at the chapel of the Robinson-Dalrymple Funeral home of Oak Grove, with Rev. C. N. Travis, pastor of the Baptist church of Oak Grove, officiating. Following the service here, the body was moved overland to Morton, where another service was held at 4 p.m. today at Falkner cemetery, near Morton, with Rev. H. D. Jordan, Baptist minister of Morton, officiating, assisted by Rev. M. K. Miller, pastor of the Morton Methodist church. Ott-Lee Funeral home of Morton assisted with arrangements for the service in Morton.

AGAIN BRINGS FIRST BALE

BERNICE, La., Aug. 28.—(Special)—For the third successive year, W. C. Couch, tenant on the farm of Mrs. W. F. Grafton, has brought the first bale of cotton to Bernice. The bale which Couch brought to the Bernice gin Tuesday weighed 465 pounds and sold for 17 cents. In 1939, he brought the first bale on August 15, and last year on September 3.

FIRE ENGINE MUST SACRIFICE GADGETS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(AP)—The glittering American fire engine will have to sacrifice some of its dazzling gadgets in the interest of defense.

OPM officials said today that fire engine manufacturers already had agreed to curtail their use of scarce materials, but that they were going to be called in soon for discussion of further economies.

Among the items to be eliminated from future models are big brass bells, brass handrails, aluminum trim and radiator grills, aluminum extension ladders and stainless steel tanks.

Defense officials assured manuturers, however, there would be no restrictions on red paint.

TO PROVIDE SOLDIER CENTER IN RUSTON

RUSTON, La., Aug. 28.—(Special)—Ruston citizens expect to have a soldier center established by Monday for the convenience of troops quartered in this vicinity, according to John Ben Kendall, Lincoln parish chairman of the United Service Organizations.

Moreland Lewis and Allen Barksdale were appointed by Mr. Kendall to arrange for obtaining the old Elks' club rooms on the third floor of the Price building to be used by the visiting soldiers for recreational purposes and other needs.

Arrangements pertaining to operation of the center will be made by a committee including Mrs. J. H. Barnes, Mrs. P. K. Smith, and Grady Jones.

Mayor C. A. Norris has announced that the city swimming pool and showers will be available without cost to the visiting troops. Arrangements also will be made to have Ruston churches open for the convenience of the soldiers.

Mr. Kendall said that a center for army officers may be established at the American Legion home within the next few days.

Jerry Isaacs, a national U. S. O. representative in charge of a service club in Arcadia and a recent visitor in Ruston, estimated that "anywhere from 50,000 to 200,000 soldiers" may pass through Ruston or be stationed here for a few hours at a time. Ruston's location has been called "the gateway to the maneuver territory."

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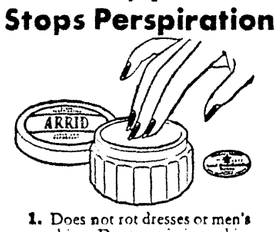
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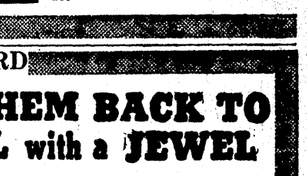
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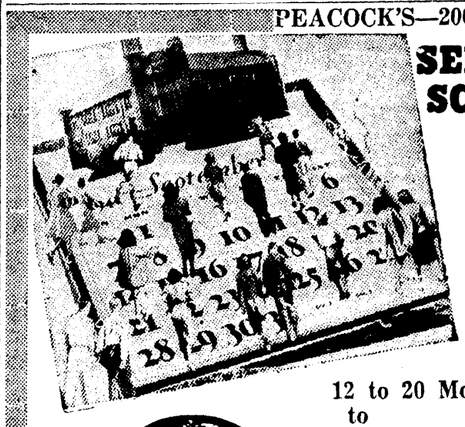
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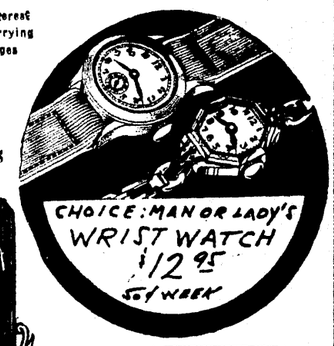
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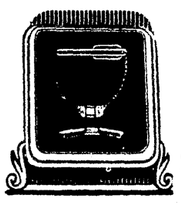
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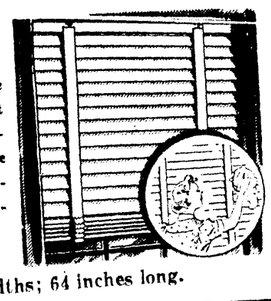
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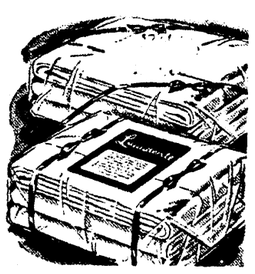
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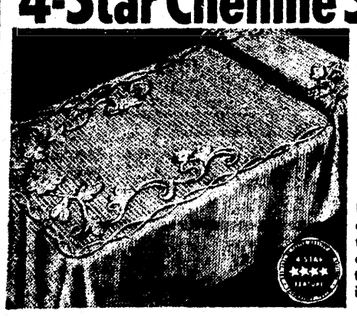


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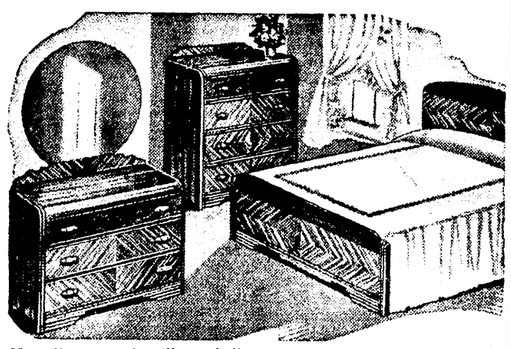
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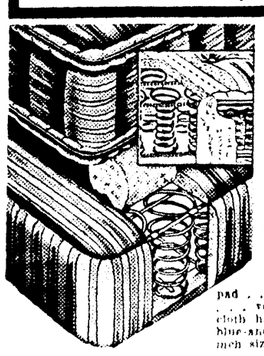
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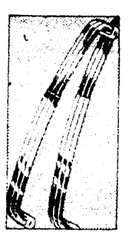
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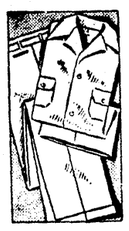
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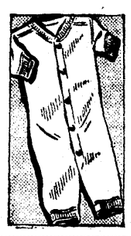


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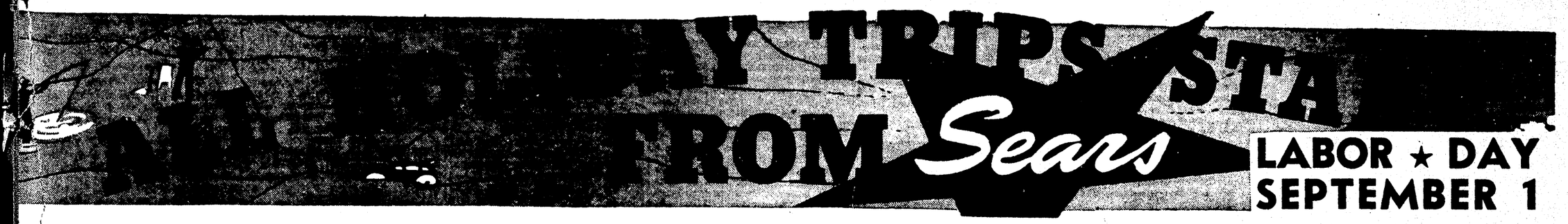
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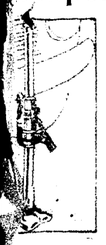


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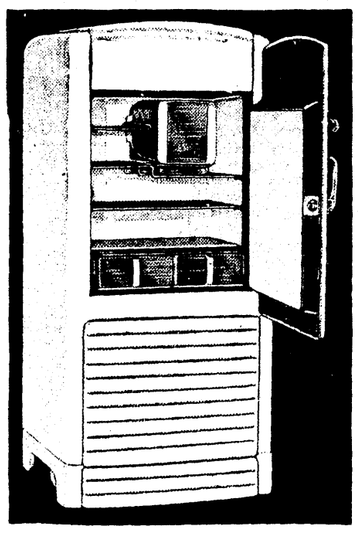
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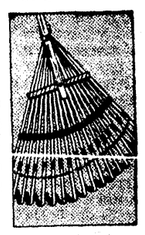
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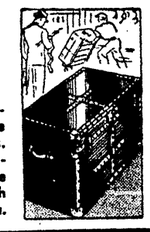
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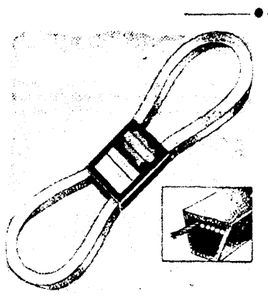


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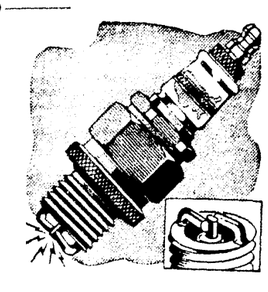


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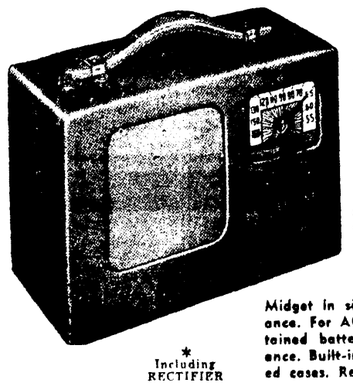
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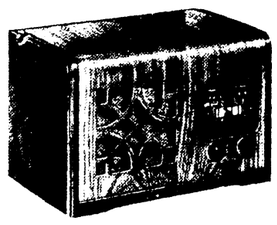
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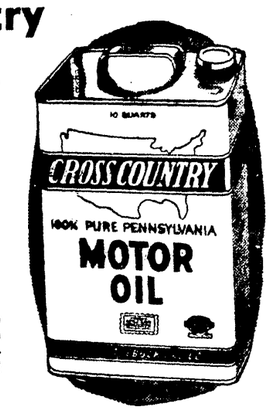
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Great Late-Summer Surge Of Cincinnati May Be Too Late

By Judson Bailey
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

The desperate hopes of the Cincinnati Reds for a miracle that would return them to a third straight World Series have been engulfed in the slow tide that seems to be carrying the Brooklyn Dodgers on its crest.

They had their best and perhaps last chance to break into the thick of the National league pennant scramble last night and failed, as Kirby Higbe whipped Johnny Vander Meer, 4-2, before 30,000 fans at Ebbets field.

It was an important triumph for the Dodgers, preserving their game and a half margin over the St. Louis Cardinals, who beat the New York Giants in another night game, 8-5.

But it was even more important for the Reds. They had won 16 of their last 20 games in a great late-summer surge and would have moved within 1 1-2 games of first place if they had won.

However, their loss dropped them to 9 1-2 behind Brooklyn and 8 back of St. Louis, and proved to most people that the flag competition is going to continue as a two-club race right down to the finish.

Higbe pitched seven-hit ball for his 18th triumph and except for a brief lapse in the eighth inning he never was in trouble. Brooklyn also was held to seven hits, but was helped by a donation of eight bases on balls from Vandy.

The Cardinals had to come from behind to beat the Giants. The Redbirds made three costly errors in the early innings and Babe Young hit his 20th homer with one on. As the result Lefty Ernie White lasted only five innings. Then Harry Gumbert took over and pitched four scoreless innings in relief and the powerful St. Louis artillery opened up. They tallied six runs in the three final frames, tying the score with three in the seventh to end Carl Hubbell's stay, breaking the deadlock with two in the eighth and finishing with a home run by Walker Cooper in the ninth.

In the other National league games Pittsburgh walloped the Phillies 12-2 with a 21-hit bombardment, including three doubles and two singles by Arky Vaughan, and the Chicago Cubs divided a double header with the Boston Braves. Manny Salvo shut out the Cubs 6-0 on five hits in the opener and then Charley Root pitched 8 2-3 innings in relief to win the second session 6-4 and gain the 200th victory of his 16-year career. Root provided the winning margin for himself by hitting a single with the bases loaded in the ninth.

The New York Yankees added another game to their immense American league lead by overwhelming the St. Louis Browns 11-1 in a night game. Ernie Bonham pitched three-hit ball.

The last place Washington Senators crushed the second place Chicago White Sox 11-3 with an 18-hit barrage while Lefty Ken Chase pitched seven-hit ball.

Lefty Grove pulled a muscle in his side, possibly meaning his loss for the remainder of the season, and the Boston Red Sox dropped a 6-3 verdict to the Detroit Tigers.

Jeff Heath drove in seven runs with two homers and a triple as the Cleveland Indians assaulted the Athletics 11-4.

The Dominion of Canada has just raised the tax on cars with a factory price under $700 from 20 to 25 per cent. Other taxes range to 60 per cent on the most expensive cars.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Sid Feder
(Pinch-Hitting for Eddie Brietz)

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Scoopie-whoopie: If Georgie Abrams looks good against N. B. A. middleweight champ Tony Zale September 12 in Madison Square Garden, they'll tangle for Tony's title later in Chicago . . . the winner to meet the guy who finishes on top in the Billy Soose-Ken Overlin fuss, thereby settling all the muddleweight mess. . . . No matter what they tell you, Whirlaway's next start will be in the Lawrence Realization at Belmont this fall. . . . Red Barber and Bob Elson, those silver tongues of the Brooklyn and Chicago ball parks, will team up on the world series broadcast again this year.

HIT-AND-RUN

Eddie Joost has other National leaguers in stitches these days wearing sun glasses to play the infield. . . . The word is Snorter Luster took one look at his material at Oklahoma and everything is rosy now. . . . Submarines at the New London (Conn.) base may torpedo the Yale-Harvard regatta right out of the Thames next year. . . . Which is one way to stop the Elis' losing streak, anyway. . . . Oddity: Four gray horses won in one day at Agua Caliente recently. . . . Which is like saying Lefty Gomez hit three homers in one game. . . . Nat Fleischer, the Ring magazine publisher who is just back from a refereeing job in Canada, will keep his bag packed and hop for Albuquerque to do the same thing at the army championships there September 15-18. . . . Six camps from all over the southwest are sending teams.

Headline: Charley Root wins 200th big league pitching victory.
Old Charley Root's passing cigars
Because he's very happy,
All the kids pat his arm and brag:
"He's our very own gran'pappy."

Prediction: Freddie Pope, the Louisville and Columbus clouter, will be featherweight champ in a year if he can get the guys on top to fight him. . . . Has 44 straight wins, 21 by kayo. . . . Vol. 1, Sect. 1 of footballs vital statistics for the year: Auburn's gridders will travel exactly 4,374 miles (count 'em) in eight games away from home this year. . . . Ray Mack celebrates his 25th birthday Sunday toiling in the Indian infield. . . . Bill Dismer reports in the Washington Star that Tackle Fred Davis, who used to bounce 'em around for 'Bama, is the only rookie worth more than a quarter to show so far at the Washington Redskins training base. . . . And we'll take the Chicago Bears by two touchdowns over the all-stars tonight.

TODAY'S GUEST STAR

Jerry Mitchell, New York Post: Asked why they have more trouble than American league umpires, a National league umpire said: "In the American league you have only one Jimmy Dykes; in the National you have six or seven."

BASHED BEAK BITS

When Gus Lesnevich won the light-heavyweight crown night before last, he gave Jersey two world champs at the same time for the first time in history. . . . In case you've forgotten, Red Cochran is the other. . . . Bantamweight Champ Lou Salica is promising all the boys he'll bring 'em back a hula skirt (unfilled) from his overweight fight in Honolulu with Rush Dalmar October 9. . . . And on September 8, Sammy Angott, who has been a pro six years, makes his first start in Washington, Pa., where he was only born and raised. . . . Reason Henry Armstrong is thinking about a comeback is that $50,000 annuity doesn't start paying for nine more years. . . . Young Kid McCoy, the Detroit welter, is slated to show in the Garden September 19—with Mike Kaplan if Mike gets by Bob Montgomery in Philly on the 8th.

A new emergency battery for starting stalled automobiles has extra voltage and extra long cables for use from a service truck.

NATS BATTER CHISOX NINE IN 11 TO 3 WIN

18-Hit Attack Features Washington Victory; Tribe Beats A's

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—(AP)—The tail-end Washington Senators cut loose with a barrage of extra base hits Wednesday to defeat the second-place Chicago White Sox, 11 to 3.

Pounding out 18 hits for 27 bases, the Senators drove Johnny Rigney from the mound in the fifth inning and continued against Jack Hallett. Rigney, who suffered his 11th defeat against 10 victories, previously had hurled two consecutive three-hit shutouts.

Four Chicago errors, including one by each of the outfielders, assisted the Washington field day.

Jim Vernon contributed his ninth home run of the year and two singles to the Chicago rout, while Buddy Lewis socked a triple, double and single, Cecil Travis a triple, George Archie a double and George Case three singles. Case also stole two bases.

The box score:

WASHINGTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Case, lf	5	2	3	0	0	0
Welaj, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cramer, cf	6	2	2	1	0	0
Lewis, rf	4	2	3	5	0	0
Travis, ss	4	1	1	1	4	0
Vernon, 1b	5	1	3	12	0	0
Archie, 3b	5	1	1	1	5	0
Early, c	5	1	2	3	1	0
Bloodworth, 2b	5	1	2	4	3	0
Chase, p	5	0	1	0	1	0
TOTALS	45	11	18	27	14	0

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Knickerbocker, 2b	2	0	0	0	3	0
Kolloway, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Kuhel, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Hoag, cf	4	1	1	2	0	1
Wright, rf	4	0	0	3	0	1
Appling, ss	3	0	1	3	4	0
Solters, lf	3	2	3	5	0	1
Kennedy, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	1
Tresh, c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Turner, c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Rigney, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Hallett, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
zWebb	1	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	32	3	7	27	12	4

zBatted for Hallett in 9th.

Score by innings:

Washington	220	041	002—11
Chicago	000	100	110— 3

Runs batted in: Case, Lewis 2, Travis, Vernon 4, Early, Bloodworth, Solters 2, Kennedy. Two-base hits: Lewis, Archie. Three-base hits: Lewis, Travis, Solters, Hallett. Home runs: Vernon, Solters. Stolen bases: Case 2, Cramer. Double plays: Bloodworth to Travis to Vernon, Knickerbocker to Appling to Kuhel 2. Left on bases: Washington 9, Chicago 7. Bases on balls: Off Chase 5, Rigney 1, Hallett 1. Strikeouts: By Chase 2, Rigney 2, Hallett 1. Hits: Off Rigney, 11 in 4 2-3 innings; Hallett, 7 in 4 2-3. Losing pitcher: Rigney. Umpires: Hubbard, Pipgras and Geisel. Time: 1:58. Attendance: 3,615.

TIGERS TRIM RED SOX

DETROIT, Aug. 28.—(AP)—The Detroit Tigers, after dropping their last two games, juggled their lineup for Wednesday's opener with the Boston Red Sox and, coupled with the wildness of Jack Wilson, the move paid off with a 6-to-3 victory.

Lefty Bob Grove started for the Red Sox but injured his side at the start and retired. Wilson, who succeeded Grove, yielded only six safeties the remainder of the distance but wildness nullified his performance.

The Tigers' first four runs were unearned. A wild throw to first base by Wilson scored a run in the first, two walks and Wilson's second wild heave to first brought two more in the second and the Boston hurler wild-pitched a run home in the fifth. Rudy York got his 20th home run in the sixth.

BOSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
DiMaggio, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Fox, rf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Cronin, 3b	5	0	1	0	2	0
Williams, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Foxx, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Doerr, 2b	2	0	2	3	2	0
Pesoros, c	4	0	0	4	0	1
L. Newsome, ss	3	0	0	4	4	1
xSpence	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carey, ss	0	0	0	0	1	0
Grove, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson, p	3	0	0	2	3	1
xxFinney	1	1	1	0	0	0
TOTALS	36	3	8	24	12	3

xBatted for L. Newsome in 8th.
xxBatted for Wilson in 9th.

DETROIT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Stainback, lf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Meyer, 2b	4	0	1	3	4	0
McCosky, cf	3	1	1	4	0	0
Higgins, 3b	3	0	1	1	4	0
York, 1b	4	2	1	12	1	0
Campbell, rf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Tebbetts, c	3	1	1	4	0	0
Croucher, ss	3	0	0	0	4	1
Newhouser, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gorsica, p	4	0	0	1	1	0
TOTALS	30	6	5	27	14	1

Boston	200	000	001—3
Detroit	120	011	01x—6

Runs batted in: Cronin, Williams, Fox, York, Tebbetts. Home run: York. Sacrifice: Higgins. Left on bases: Boston 11, Detroit 6. Bases on balls: Off Wilson 5, Newhouser 3, Gorsica 2. Strikeouts: By Wilson 4, Gorsica 4. Hits: Off Grove, 0 in 1-3 inning; Wilson, 5 in 7 2-3; Newhouser, 1 in 2-3; Gorsica, 7 in 8 1-3. Wild pitches: Wilson 2. Winning pitcher: Gorsica. Losing pitcher: Wilson. Umpires: Summers, Rue and Stewart. Time: 1:155. Attendance: 4,782 (paid).

INDIANS WALLOP A'S

CLEVELAND, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Led by Outfielder Jeff Heath who drove home seven runs with two homers and a triple, the usually impotent Cleveland Indians jumped back into the winning column Wednesday with an 11-to-4 victory over Philadelphia.

The Tribesmen collected 18 hits off Tom Ferrick. In addition to the four men Heath drove in with his 18th and 19th circuit drives of the season, he sent another across on the triple. Clarence (Soup) Campbell, another

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FIGHTS LAST NIGHT
(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO—Booker Beckwith, 172, Gary, Ind., outpointed Clarence "Red" Burman, 185, Baltimore (10).

WASHINGTON—Bill Poland, 194, New York, stopped Eddie Blunt, 216, New York (4).

BRIDGEPORT, Conn.—Ken Overlin, 162, stopped Jimmy Young, 162, Scranton, Pa. (8).

NEW YORK—Ray Robinson, 139, New York, stopped Carl (Red) Guggino, 139 3-4, Hartford, Conn. (3).

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SPORTS MIRROR

(By Associated Press)

Today a year ago—Challedon defeated Isolator by nose in photo finish in Whitney Stakes and set new stake record of 2:03 1-5 for mile and a quarter.

Three years ago—Monte Pearson, New York Yankees, pitched no-hit, no-run game against Cleveland, winning 13-0. Walked four in otherwise perfect game.

Five years ago—Main body of United States Olympic team, including 239 officials and athletes, arrived home on President Roosevelt.

The Standings

COTTON STATES LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
MONROE	77	52	.597
Hot Springs	73	59	.553
Vicksburg	72	59	.550
Greenville	71	59	.546
Helena	69	60	.535
Texarkana	69	60	.535
El Dorado	51	70	.421
Marshall	46	82	.359

Yesterday's Results
MONROE 7; GREENVILLE 6.
Marshall 11; El Dorado 5.
Helena 4; Vicksburg 3.
Hot Springs 9; Texarkana 8.

Today's Games
MONROE AT HELENA.
Vicksburg at Greenville.
El Dorado at Texarkana.
Hot Springs at Marshall.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	80	44	.645
St. Louis	78	45	.634
Cincinnati	69	52	.570
Pittsburgh	66	56	.541
New York	58	63	.479
Chicago	55	71	.437
Boston	50	73	.407
Philadelphia	35	87	.287

Yesterday's Results
Pittsburgh 12; Philadelphia 2.
Boston 6-4; Chicago 0-6.
Brooklyn 4; Cincinnati 2.
St. Louis 8; New York 5.

Today's Games
New York at St. Louis, Breuer (8-5) vs. Muncrief (9-7).
Philadelphia at Cleveland, Babich (2-7) vs. Milnar (10-15).
Boston at Detroit, Dobson (8-5) vs. Benton (9-6).
Washington at Chicago, Carrasquel (5-1) vs. Lee (16-9).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	85	44	.659
Chicago	67	60	.528
Cleveland	64	60	.516
Boston	65	62	.512
Detroit	59	68	.468
Philadelphia	55	70	.440
Washington	54	69	.439
St. Louis	54	70	.435

Yesterday's Results
Detroit 6; Boston 3.
Cleveland 11; Philadelphia 4.
Washington 11; Chicago 3.
New York 11; St. Louis 1

Today's Games
St. Louis at New York, White (16-4) vs. Melton (8-7).
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, Heintzelman (8-9) vs. Pearson (4-11).
Chicago at Boston, Eaves (1-2) vs. Earley (3-5).
(Only games scheduled.)

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Teams	Won	Lost	Pct.
Atlanta	90	51	.638
Nashville	74	62	.544
New Orleans	72	67	.518
Chattanooga	71	69	.507
Birmingham	68	71	.489
Memphis	62	77	.446
Little Rock	60	76	.441
Knoxville	57	81	.413

Yesterday's Results
Knoxville 4; Memphis 2.
Little Rock 3-2; Nashville 1-9.
Birmingham 9-1; Chattanooga 4-2.
New Orleans at Atlanta, rain.

Today's Games
Memphis at Knoxville.
Little Rock at Nashville.
(Only games scheduled.)

TEXAS LEAGUE

Teams	Won	Lost	Pct.
Houston	98	40	.710
Tulsa	78	61	.561
Shreveport	74	65	.532
Dallas	72	70	.507
Fort Worth	69	72	.489
Oklahoma City	61	81	.430
Beaumont	56	85	.397
San Antonio	54	88	.380

Yesterday's Results
Beaumont 11-2; Oklahoma City 4-8.
San Antonio 8; Fort Worth 4.
Shreveport 2; Tulsa 0.
Houston 7-6; Dallas 2-5.

Today's Games
Dallas at Houston.
Fort Worth at San Antonio.
Oklahoma City at Beaumont.
Tulsa at Shreveport.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Buffalo 4; Montreal 1.
Jersey City 1-6; Baltimore 0-9.
Syracuse 9; Newark 7.
(Only games scheduled.)

EVANGELINE LEAGUE
Alexandria 8; Opelousas 4.
Lake Charles 4; New Iberia 0.
Lafayette 11; Port Arthur 4.

SOUTHEASTERN LEAGUE
Montgomery 9-4; Gadsden 3-1.
Anniston 6; Selma 5.
Jackson 8-0; Meridian 0-13.
Pensacola 9-1; Mobile 6-3.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Toledo 3; Indianapolis 1.
Louisville 5; Columbus 4.
St. Paul 3; Kansas City 0.
Milwaukee 6; Minneapolis 4.

Sophomores May Shine For Bulldogs This Year; Meet L. S. U. Sept. 20

RUSTON, La., Aug. 28.—(Special)—With 35 candidates for the varsity gridiron squad expected to report to Head Coach Joe Aillet and Line Coach Cecil Crowley Monday morning, September 1, football at Louisiana Tech will proceed according to schedule despite postponement of the opening of the fall semester until October 2 because of army maneuvers in this area.

The delayed opening of the term, decided upon by the state board of education as a result of congestion of highways by the armies, will find the Tech Bulldogs playing two of their football games without benefit of student body following. Both of those games, however, are away from home and but little damage will be done by the absence of Tech student supporters. The first will be a night contest with Louisiana State university in Baton Rouge on September 20 and second will be an afternoon game with the Texas College of Mines in El Paso on September 27. Tech's first home battle of the season is booked with Mississippi Southern for Friday night, October 3, the day after registration for the fall session is slated to start.

Army selective service, the national guard, graduation and scholastic deficiencies have made inroads into the Bulldog gridiron ranks and as a consequence this fall will be a time for sophomores to rise and shine, according to Coach Aillet. Seven members of last year's Tech varsity squad reported to be in army service are Harmon Burgess, Mansfield, center; Harold Dickens, Delhi, guard; Travis Hammons, Choudrant, center; James Garnes, Mansfield, end; Albert Parkes, Decatur, Miss., end; Harry Widener, Panama City, Fla., tackle, and Delmar (Dude) Pierce, Newellton, tackle. Lloyd Scott, Monroe, guard, and Pat Riser, sophomore guard of Ruston, are said to be in the national guard. Four graduating from football service are Ora Merriott, Lebanon, Ind., quarterback; Howard Barker, Jennings, halfback; Paul Bonin, Vinton, guard, and Pirkle Vise, Homer, halfback. Four others from last year's varsity are deficient with their studies, Coach Aillet said.

The roster of 35 prospective Tech varsity candidates is as follows:

Ends (7)—John Laughlin, Bloomfield, Ind.; Wilbur Lewellyan, Columbia; Joe Tom Mabry, Goodman, Miss., Dick Nunnally, Bayville; Leonard Oleson, New Orleans; Robert Rife, Waterproof, and Tag Yarbrough, Arcadia; Laughlin, Lewellyan and Yarbrough were members of the Tech varsity last fall.

Tackles (6)—Max Brown, Camden, Ark.; Lucian Conway, Baytown, Tex.; Dalton Clark, Andalusia, Ala.; George Doherty, Canton, Miss.; Edd Roberts, Goodman, Miss., and Witt Vascocu, Minden. Roberts and Vascocu are experienced varsity men.

Guards (6)—Frank Bishop, Birmingham, Ala.; Gerald Beasley, Jonesboro; Victon Cerise, New Orleans; Andrew Cuccia, New Orleans; Tommy Fearneyhough, Louisville, Ky., and Garland Gregory, Columbia. Bishop and Gregory were on the Tech varsity last year.

Centers (2)—Jim Allen, Camden, Ark., and Hays Fleming, Ferriday, both sophomores.

Quarterbacks (4)—Walter Ford, Lafayette, Ind.; Dean McBride, Jonesboro; Robert May, Haynesville, and James Rife, Waterproof. May and Ford played with the Tech varsity last season.

Left halfbacks (4)—Armour Ballance, Arcadia; Milton (Monk) Clavier, New Orleans; Johnny Perritt, Tyler, Tex., and James Tinsley, Haynesville. Perritt and Tinsley are former varsity men.

Right halfbacks (3)—Richard (Red) Rivers, Monroe; Chet Wojecki, Erie, Pa., and James Zoeller, New Albany, Ind. Wojecki and Zoeller are experienced varsity players.

Fullbacks (3)—Freddie Michael, Homer; Johnny Ballance, Arcadia, and Eugene Fleming, Ferriday. Michael and Ballance are former varsity men.

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MONROE RALLIES IN EIGHTH TO BEAT BUCKSHOTS

Victory Gives Locals Even Break In Series; Play Helena Tonight

A four-run rally on three hits and two errors in the eighth inning gave the Monroe White Sox a 7 to 6 victory over the Greenville Buckshots here last night in one of the wildest battles seen here this year. The triumph gave the Sox an even break in their four games with the Bucks and practically cinched the locals for a championship playoff spot.

The battle started as a mound duel between Will "Tex" Reeder, Monroe righthander, and Molly Ferguson, Greenville righthander, and it was just that for five innings. But the Bucks ruptured the Sox defense for five runs in the sixth and from that point on it was a wild affair that saw four Greenville players chased from the park and one Monroe player fined.

Reeder pitched no-hit ball for five innings, and, except for some sloppy fielding, might have got through the hectic sixth frame without disaster. As it was, Reeder was reached for four hits, one a fluker, in the sixth but finished the inning.

Charles "Major" Bowles entered the game in the seventh and shutout the invaders for the next three frames on two hits to get credit for the victory.

Ferguson allowed only two hits, one a home run by Guy Pruitt, but he was pulled in the third, and "Lefty" Beck went on to hold the Sox scoreless until the seventh when two unearned runs crossed the plate, and then four more in the eighth beat Beck.

In the seventh inning Umpire Frank DeHaney objected to remarks by nonplaying Bucks on the bench and

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SOUTHERN

SMOKIES BEAT CHICKS

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Jennings (Jinx) Poindexter and the Knoxville Smokies beat the Memphis Chicks 4 to 2 Wednesday and took a 2 to 1 edge in the 5-game series. Rain washed out the scheduled second game before it started.

Score by innings:

Memphis	010	000	001—2 9 1
Knoxville	000	040	00x—4 6 0

Carpenter and Smith; Poindexter and Jackson.

PEBS, VOLS DIVIDE

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Willis Hudlin, Little Rock's veteran right-hander, hurled the Travelers to a 3-1 victory over Nashville in the first game of a double header Wednesday night, but the Vols came back to take the short match 9-2.

First Game

Little Rock	100	000	020—3 8 0
Nashville	000	000	010—1 11 2

Hudlin and Dellasega; Gassaway and Helf.

Second Game

Little Rock	010	000	1 —2 8 1
Nashville	002	601	x—9 14 0

Prendergast, Pukas and Bremer; Lawson and Felderman.

LOOKOUTS, BARONS SPLIT

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Aug. 28.—(AP)—The Chattanooga Lookouts Wednesday night clung to their fourth place spot by dividing a double header with Birmingham, losing the opener 9 to 4 and winning the finale 2 to 1.

First Game

Birmingham	200	220	201—9 16 0
Chattanooga	000	000	013—4 8 1

Second Game

Birmingham	000	001	0—1 5 1
Chattanooga	020	000	x—2 5 0

Matuzak and Lamanno; Marrow and Hooks, Lewis.

In order to build motor cars to fit the average driver, automotive engineers made a cardboard dummy 5 feet 8 inches tall with a leg length of 32 inches.

CHARLIE ROOT RUNS PITCHING STRING TO 200

Cubs' Mound Veteran Beats Braves, 6-4, For Split In Twin Bill

By Steve O'Leary

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Old Charlie Root who is closer than the next second to being a grandpa, hung his 200th major league triumph on the walls of baseball's hall of fame Wednesday as he set down the Boston Braves, 6-4, in the second half of a twin bill.

Old Charlie, who was 42 last St. Patrick's Day, made his own cherished triumph certain, after his Chicago Cubs dropped the opener, 6-0, by stepping to the plate in the ninth with the bases loaded and belting a clean single to center for two runs.

His victory adds his name to a distinguished company of five active pitchers who have attained the 200 victory goal in their major league careers but Old Charlie's is the more precious to him for each and every one of his triumphs was chalked up with the Chicago Cubs, for whom he has toiled for 16 years.

Others holding the honor are Robert Moses "Lefty" Grove, of the Boston Red Sox, who attained his 300th victory here last month; "Fat Freddie" Fitzsimmons of the Brooklyn Dodgers; Carl Hubbell of the New York Giants; Ted Lyons, of the Chicago White Sox, and Charlie "Red" Ruffing, of the New York Yankees.

That Root's triumph came to him in a relief role made victory none the less sweet. He pitched practically the nine-inning distance, relieving ineffective Ken Raffensberger with only one out in the first—putting out the fire, at that—and then going on for

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CHARLIE ROOT RUNS PITCHING STRING TO 200

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the rest of the distance until the climactic ninth.

The box scores:

FIRST GAME

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hack, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Hudson, ss	4	0	0	1	1	2
Olsen, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Nicholson, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Dahlgren, 1b	3	0	1	7	0	0
Dallessandro, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
McCullough, c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Stringer, 2b	3	0	0	3	4	0
Passeau, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
TOTALS	31	0	5	24	9	2

BOSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sisti, 3b	4	1	0	1	0	0
Moore, cf	4	0	0	7	0	0
Hassett, 1b	4	1	3	7	1	0
Waner, rf	4	1	2	2	1	0
West, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Miller, ss	4	1	2	1	3	0
Roberge, 2b	4	1	1	1	2	0
Benes, c	4	0	3	6	0	0
Salvo, p	4	0	1	1	1	0
TOTALS	36	6	13	27	8	0

Score by innings:

Chicago	000	000	000—0
Boston	006	000	00x—6

Runs batted in: Hassett, Waner, Miller, Benes. Two-base hit: Olsen. Three-base hit: Hassett. Stolen bases: Hassett. Double plays: Stringer to Hudson to Dahlgren, Waner to Hassett. Left on bases: Chicago 4, Boston 6. Bases on balls: None. Strikeouts: By Passeau 7, Salvo 6. Wild pitch: Salvo. Umpires: Reardon, Goetz and Conlan. Time: 1:49. Attendance: (estimated) 3,000.

SECOND GAME

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hack, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Hudson, ss	5	0	1	3	1	0
Olsen, cf	5	0	1	2	0	1
Nicholson, rf	2	2	1	1	0	0
Dahlgren, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Dallessandro, lf	3	1	2	2	0	0
George, c	3	1	0	6	1	1
Stringer, 2b	2	2	1	4	5	0
Raffensberger, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Root, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
TOTALS	30	6	8	27	9	2

BOSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sisti, 3b	4	1	3	0	2	0
zzMoore	1	1	1	0	0	0
Cooney, cf	5	0	0	3	0	0
Gremp, 1b	4	1	1	13	0	0
zzzHassett	1	0	0	0	0	0
Demaree, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
West, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Miller, ss	4	0	1	3	6	0
Roberge, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Rowell, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montgomery, c	2	0	0	2	1	0
zWaner	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berres, c	1	0	0	5	0	0
Javery, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Johnson, p	1	0	0	0	0	1
TOTALS	35	4	9	27	13	1

zBatted for Montgomery in 6th.
zzBatted for Sisti in 9th.
zzzBatted for Gremp in 9th.
Score by innings:

Chicago	011	000	103—6
Boston	200	001	001—4

Runs batted in: Root 2, Hack 2, Nicholson, George, Gremp, Demaree, West, Rowell. Two-base hits: Moore, Miller. Home run: Nicholson. Stolen bases: Hudson, Stringer. Sacrifices: Hack, Dallessandro, George, Root. Double plays: Hack to Stringer to Dahlgren, Root to George to Dahlgren, Miller to Gremp. Left on bases: Chicago 6, Boston 11. Bases on balls: Off Raffensberger 1, Root 6, Javery 2, Johnson 3. Strikeouts: By Root 3, Javery 2, Johnson 4. Hits: Off Raffensberger, 3 in 1-3 inning; Root, 9 in 8 2-3; Javery, 5 in 6 (none out in 7th); Johnson, 3 in 3. Winning pitcher: Root. Losing pitcher: Johnson. Umpires: Conlan, Goetz and Reardon. Time: 2:15. Attendance: 3,204.

DODGERS DOWN REDS

BROOKLYN, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Kirby Higbe cooled off the Cincinnati Reds Wednesday night for his 18th triumph as the resourceful Brooklyn Dodgers beat Johnny Vander Meer 4 to 2 before 30,103 fans. Each team made seven hits.

The league leaders collected all their runs in ones off Vander Meer, who gave up eight walks in his eight innings on the mound. Brooklyn tapped him for counters in the first, third, fourth and seventh innings.

Pee Wee Reese started off the opening frame with a line double down the left field foul line and moved to third on an infield out. Harry Lavagetto then raised a deep foul in back of first base and Frank McCormick, running at full speed, speared the ball over his shoulder. Reese streaked home with the first run.

Higbe and Reese, the first two batters, drew passes in the third. Then Billy Herman dropped a short fly just out of Lonnie Frey's reach and Higbe scored from second as Lloyd Waner recovered the ball for a force play on Reese.

Reiser's line double, Dixie Walker's sacrifice and Mickey Owen's fly sent in the third Dodger counter in the fourth, and Walker's single with bases loaded in the seventh brought home Lavagetto with the last run.

Higbe, meantime, issued three hits and no runs over the first seven stanzas. But the Reds broke through with two in the eighth on Pinch Hitter Jimmy Gleeson's double, a single by Mike McCormick and Lonnie Frey's double.

Tonight's crowd boosted the Dodgers' home attendance to 1,103,740, an all-time Ebbets field record.

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Waner, rf	4	0	0	3	1	0
M. McCormick, 1b	4	1	1	0	1	0
Frey, 2b	3	0	1	1	2	0
F. McCormick, 1b	4	0	0	7	2	0
Craft, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Werber, 3b	4	0	1	3	2	0
Lombardi, c	4	0	1	5	2	0
Joost, ss	3	0	1	1	2	0
Vander Meer, p	2	0	0	2	0	0
xGleeson	1	1	1	0	0	0
Beggs, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxKoy	1	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	34	2	7	24	12	0

xBatted for Vander Meer in 8th.
xxBatted for Beggs in 9th.

BROOKLYN	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Reese, ss	3	1	1	4	4	0
Herman, 2b	5	0	0	0	1	0
Lavagetto, 3b	3	1	1	0	3	0
Medwick, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Camilli, 1b	3	0	0	11	1	0
Reiser, cf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Walker, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Owen, c	3	0	0	6	0	0
Higbe, p	3	1	1	1	2	0
TOTALS	28	4	7	27	11	0

Score by innings:

Cincinnati	000	000	020—2
Brooklyn	101	100	10x—4

Runs batted in: Lavagetto, Herman, Owen, M. McCormick, Frey, Walker. Two-base hits: Reese, Reiser, Gleeson, Frey. Stolen bases: Lombardi, Reese. Sacrifices: Walker. Left on bases: Cincinnati 7, Brooklyn 10. Bases on balls: Off Vander Meer 8, Beggs 1, Higbe 1. Strikeouts: By Vander Meer 3, Beggs 1, Higbe 5. Hits: Off Vander Meer, 7 in 7 innings; Beggs, 0 in 1. Hit by pitcher: By Higbe (Frey). Winning pitcher: Higbe. Losing pitcher: Vander Meer. Umpires: Pinelli, Barlick and Ballanfant. Time: 2:03. Attendance: 30,103.

CARDS BEAT GIANTS

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, struggling to stay in the National league pennant race, scored six runs in the last three innings Wednesday night to come from behind and whip the New York Giants 8 to 5.

The victory kept the Redbirds within a game and a half of the first place Brooklyn Dodgers, who beat Cincinnati 4 to 2.

Two southpaws, Carl Hubbell of the Giants and Ernie White of the Cards, opened the game but neither finished.

Babe Young's 20th homer with one on in the third, and costly errors by Johnny Mize, Martin Marion and White himself helped New York pile up an early lead.

White redeemed his miscue by driving in St. Louis' first two runs with a single in the fifth, but it was not his night and Harry Gumbert took over in the sixth to pitch four scoreless relief innings and get credit for the victory over his former teammates.

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
J. Brown, 3b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Hopp, cf	5	0	3	3	0	0
Triplett, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Crabtree, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mize, 1b	5	0	2	7	2	1
W. Cooper, c	5	1	1	4	0	0
Padgett, lf	5	0	0	5	0	0
Crespi, 2b	4	2	2	2	4	0
Marion, ss	4	3	3	3	3	1
White, p	2	0	1	0	2	1
Gumberi, p	2	2	2	1	0	0
TOTALS	41	8	15	27	15	3

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bartell, 3b	4	1	2	0	4	0
Rucker, cf	4	2	2	7	1	0
Ott, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Young, 1b	5	1	1	11	0	0
Danning, c	4	1	1	3	1	0
Arnovich, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Moore, lf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Jurges, ss	3	0	2	2	4	0
Crongo, 2b	4	0	0	2	4	0
Hubbell, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
W. Brown, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xO'Dea	1	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	36	5	10	27	12	0

xBatted for W. Brown in 9th.
Score by innings:

St. Louis	000	020	321—8
New York	012	020	000—5

Runs batted in: Young 3, White 2, Ott, Gumbert, Hopp 3, J. Brown, W. Cooper. Two-base hit: Marion. Home runs: Young, W. Cooper. Stolen base: Rucker. Sacrifices: Rucker, J. Brown. Double plays: Rucker to Orengo, Brown to Crespi to Mize. Left on bases: St. Louis 8, New York 8. Bases on balls: Off White 2, Gumbert 1, Hubbell 1. Strikeouts: By White 2, Hubbell 2, W. Brown 1, Gumbert 1. Hits: Off White, 6 in 5 innings; Gumbert, 4 in 4; Hubbell, 10 in 6 2-3; W. Brown, 5 in 2 1-3. Winning pitcher: Gumbert. Losing pitcher: W. Brown. Umpires: Sears, Jorda and Barr. Time: 2:40. Attendance: 19,622.

PIRATES SHELL PHILLIES

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Paced by Arky Vaughan, the Pittsburgh Pirates fired a 21-hit barrage against the Phillies Wednesday to scuttle the cellar occupants by a 12-to-2 score.

The Bucs pounded their one time teammate, Cy Blanton, for nine hits in three and one third innings, blasted Si Johnson for nine more in three and two thirds innings and tapered off with three hits off Lefty Lee Grissom. Vaughan led the hit parade with five safeties, three of them doubles on consecutive trips to the plate.

The box score:

PITTSBURGH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Handley, 3b	4	1	0	2	4	0
Vaughan, ss	6	4	5	2	3	0
Anderson, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elliott, rf	5	3	2	1	0	0
Stewart, lf	6	2	4	4	0	0
Fletcher, 1b	5	0	3	11	0	1
Gustine, 2b	1	0	1	0	1	0
Martin, 2b	5	1	3	2	3	1
DiMaggio, cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Lopez, c	4	0	1	1	0	0
Baker, c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Lanning, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
TOTALS	46	12	21	27	12	2

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Murtaugh, 2b	5	0	1	4	2	0
Benjamin, rf	5	0	3	1	0	0
Marty, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Grissom, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
xxMueller	1	0	0	0	0	0
Etten, 1b	4	0	0	10	1	0
Lutzkiller, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
May, 3b	4	0	3	2	3	0
Bragan, ss	2	1	0	1	2	1
Warren, c	4	0	0	5	1	1
Blanton, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Johnson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rizzo, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
TOTALS	37	2	10	27	11	2

xxBatted for Grissom in 9th.
Score by innings:

Pittsburgh	200	352	22x—12
Philadelphia	000	000	110—2

Runs batted in: Elliott 3, Stewart 2, Gustine, Martin 2, DiMaggio, Lopez, Lanning, Fletcher, Bragan. Two-base hits: Vaughan 3, Lutwhiler, Elliott. Three-base hit: Fletcher. Stolen bases: Vaughan, Stewart. Sacrifices: Handley, Bragan. Double play: May to Etten. Left on bases: Pittsburg 13, Philadelphia 10. Bases on balls: Off Blanton 3, Johnson 1, Lanning 1. Strikeouts: By Blanton 1, Johnson 2, Lanning 2, Grissom 1. Hits: Off Blanton, 9 in 4 1-3 innings; Johnson, 9 in 8 2-3, Grissom, 3 in 2. Hit by pitcher: By Blanton (Lanning). Wild pitches: Lanning, Grissom. Losing pitcher: Blanton. Umpires: Stewart, Dunn and Magerkurth. Time: 2:29. Attendance: 1,478.

PIRTLE HEADS MEDAL PARADE

Bastrop Golfer Ahead As 11 Qualify For Labor Day Tourney

Eleven golfers had qualified yesterday for the tenth annual Labor Day tournament at the Municipal club here, and Brice Pirtle of Bastrop was leading for medal honors with an 85.

The deadline for posting qualifying scores is Saturday night, and entries from this section of the state are expected to flock over the Muny course during the remainder of this week, particularly tomorrow and Saturday.

Other qualifying scores posted were W. O. Webb, 90; C. P. Brogan, 93; E. D. Hemphill, 93; J. C. Collins, 94; Willard Fisher, 96; M. J. Merklin, 98; Lloyd Barham, 101; H. J. Barham, 105; J. L. Green, 112; and P. A. Reising, 113.

Preliminary rounds of the tournament which originated at the old Lakeside Country club here but swung to the Muny when the old course was liquidated will begin Sunday morning. Semi-finals and finals will be played Monday.

Prizes are on hand for the winners and runners-up in each flight and winners of the consolation flights.

E. S. "Shep" Girault is the defending Labor Day champion but he is expected to find tough competition when he goes out to defend his crown Sunday.

The Municipal course has been rounded into its best condition of the season by Professional Jean Shirah, and visiting golfers are expressing themselves as pleased with the local layout.

On a track of wooden rails covered with sheet metal, Canada's first railroad made its opening official run from Laprairie to St. Johns, Quebec, on July 21, 1836.

MONROE RALLIES IN EIGHTH TO BEAT BUCKSHOTS

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chased Steven Fallon, Ed Wright, Ferguson and L. B. Jones, all pitchers, from the dugout. Then in the same frame First Baseman Pete Medak of Monroe was fined five dollars by Umpire DeHaney for slinging his bat on the playing field past first base after fanning for the third time.

Fruitt's circuit clout gave Monroe a one run lead in the second inning, but the Bucks tied the score in the fourth. Dick Jones walked but was forced at second by Don Prather. Two men were out when Potocar threw the ball wild into right field trying to pick Prather off first, allowing Prather to reach third. Joe Dooley then dropped Bueschen's fly, allowing Frather to score.

The five Buckshot runs in the fifth looked mighty big at the time and a hopeless margin for the Sox to overcome. Beck fanned to start the inning, and Kent Massengale grounded to Medak's right. Medak fielded the ball and tried to race Massengale for the bag, but Massengale won the race. Jones walked. Prather grounded to Keith who threw poorly to Eagar in an attempt to stop Massengale and thus loading the bases for Bueschen who promptly smashed the ball out of the park over the right center field fence. Bill Kramer followed with a single and went to second unmolested. Pete Maloney walked and a single by Jim Cookson scored Kramer. Manager Dave Coble hit into a double play, Eagar to Keith to Medak, to end the hectic sixth.

The Sox picked up two runs in the seventh after Bob Hill, Monroe's offensive star of the night, and Dale Englehorn had hit singles. Medak fanned for the second out, but Dooley was safe when Beck threw his grounder wild to first, allowing Hill and Englehorn to score.

Then the Sox opened up with three hits and "the breaks" to win in the eighth. With one out, Potocar grounded to Prather whose throw pulled Kramer off first. Bowles singled, sending Potocar to third, and a single by Eagar scored Potocar.

Hill came up with his third hit, a triple down the third base line to score Bowles and Eagar. Englehorn popped out to Jones in deep short and Hill headed for home after the catch. Jones threw to Coble in plenty of time to stop Hill, but Coble lost the ball as Hill slid into him with the winning run.

Box score:

GREENVILLE	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Massengale, cf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Jones, ss	2	1	0	2	3	1
Prather, 3b	4	2	0	0	1	1
Bueschen, rf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Kramer, 1b	4	1	1	6	0	0
Maloney, 2b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Cookson, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Coble, c	4	0	0	9	2	1
Ferguson, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Beck, p	2	0	0	0	0	1
xBekeza	1	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	33	6	6	24	8	4

xBatted for Beck in ninth.

MONROE	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Eagar, ss	5	1	1	2	6	0
Hill, cf	5	2	3	6	0	0
Englehorn, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Medak, 1b	4	0	0	7	0	1
Dooley, lf	3	0	0	1	0	1
Pruitt, 3b	4	1	2	3	1	0
Keith, 2b	2	0	0	2	4	1
Potocar, c	4	1	1	6	1	1
Reeder, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
zBowles, p	2	1	1	0	0	0
TOTALS	35	7	10	27	12	4

zBatted for Reeder in sixth.
Score by innings:

Greenville	000	105	000—6
Monroe	010	000	24x—7

Runs batted in: Pruitt, Bueschen 4, Cookson, Eagar, Hill 2. Three-base hit: Hill. Home runs: Pruitt, Bueschen. Stolen bases: Hill, Englehorn. Double plays: Eagar to Keith to Medak, Keith to Eagar to Medak. Left on bases: Greenville 3, Monroe 9. Innings pitched: By Ferguson 2 1-3, with 1 run, 2 hits; Reeder 6, with 6 runs, 4 hits; Beck 5 2-3, with 6 runs, 8 hits; Bowles 3, with 0 runs, 2 hits. Winning pitcher: Bowles. Losing pitcher: Beck. Passed ball: Potocar. Wild pitch: Reeder. Bases on balls: Off Ferguson 4, Reeder 3, Beck 1. Struck out: By Reeder 5, Ferguson 2, Beck 6, Bowles 1. Time: 2:14. Umpires: DeHaney, St. Charles.

Helena	020	002	000—4 11 2
Vicksburg	000	000	300—3 5 4

Finck, Gramley and Carrola; Baker, Jaust and Weiland.

Marshall	341	010	011—11 17 4
El Dorado	001	130	000— 5 10 2

Waters, Raines and Niemiller; Johnson, Hendrix and Zachritz.

Texarkana	102	041	000—8 13 1
Hot Springs	041	003	10x—9 13 1

Crow and Tabacheck; Rhodes and Pawelek.

INVADE HELENA

The Monroe White Sox, with a lead of five and a half games over their nearest rival in the Cotton States standings, invade Helena tonight for the first of two games with Manager Jimmy Adair's Seaporters.

The 'Porters are only a game and a half out of the first division and their club is the only second division aggregation still in the battle for a place in the championship series. Helena is eight games behind Monroe, and the Sox can cinch their playoff berth with wins over Helena. Although the Sox are already conceded a play-off spot, they have eight more scheduled games and possibly a ninth to make up for a tie battle, and they would have to lose all of them while Helena would have to win all theirs to put the Sox out of the race.

The Sox move over to Greenville for two and probably three after the Helena series. Then they move into Vicksburg for three and return here with Vicksburg September 4 to end the schedule.

Manager Doug Taitt announced last night that Theo Hoemann would open on the mound against Helena tonight.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Tulsa	000	000	000—0 3 1
Shreveport	000	020	00x—2 5 1

Davis and Hernandez; Hamner and Novick.

First Game

Oklahoma City	001	000	201— 4 8 4
Beaumont	200	521	01x—11 13 1

Jones, White, Marleau and Gillespie; Uhle and Hinkle.

Second Game

Oklahoma City	100	133	—8 6 0
Beaumont	100	001	—2 6 2

Mallory and Gillespie; Horton, Medlar and Hinkle.

First Game

Dallas	001	000	010—2 9 1
Houston	300	020	11x—7 10 1

Nitcholas and Cronin; Martin and Narron.

Second Game

Dallas	003	002	0—5 4 0
Houston	102	001	2—6 13 4

Mann, Humphrey, Maltzberger and Cronin; Russell, Wilks and Narron.

Fort Worth	300	000	100—4 10 5
San Antonio	402	002	00x—8 14 0

Greer, Moseley, Oana and Linton; Scott, Gunter and Huffman.

CASTILLO STATE PRO CHAMPION

Young Baton Rouge Golfer Wins Links Ploy At Shreveport

SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Henry Castillo, youthful Baton Rouge golf professional who was well known to Shreveport fans while in amateur competition as a member of the Louisiana State university won the Louisiana professional championship Wednesday with a 72 hole medal score of 291.

He replaces Jimmy McGonagill, Shreveport, who finished with a 293 after leading through the halfway point of the tournament that attracted twelve contestants from every section of the state.

In third place with a 299 score was Gray Little, Lake Charles, and in the fourth slot came Floyd Rood, Hammond, who had a 303 score. The next best mark was a 304 that was made by Irving King, Shreveport Country club pro, who had his chances for a high position shattered by faulty putting.

Other participants finished with the following scores: George Doherty, Baton Rouge, 305; Nex White, Shreveport, 307, and Devert Brumley, Country club, 309. Starters who dropped out before completing the 72 hole stretch included Frank Cook, Lakeside municipal course pro, Charley Lyman, Barksdale Field, Harry Johnson, Natchitoches, and Sid Danjean, New Orleans.

Baton Rouge is to be the championship playing scene in 1942, it was decided at the annual banquet Tuesday night. No definite date for the tournament at the state capital has been set, but it is known that it is to be played in August.

YESTERDAY'S STARS

(By Associated Press)

Manuel Salvo, Braves, and Charley Root, Cubs—Former pitched five-hit shutout in first game and latter answered relief call in first inning of nightcap to acquire 200th victory of his career.

Arky Vaughan, Pirates—Made five hits, including three consecutive doubles, in leading 21-hit attack on Phillies.

Jeff Heath, Indians—Knocked in seven runs with two homers and triple to beat Athletics.

Johnny Gorsica, Tigers—Pitched seven-hit ball to beat Red Sox after relieving in first inning.

Ken Chase, Senators—Whipped White Sox with seven-hit hurling.

Kirby Higbe, Dodgers—Held Reds to seven hits to achieve 18th victory of season.

Ernie Bonham, Yankees—Stopped Browns on three hits.

Harry Gumbert, Cardinals—Pitched four scoreless relief innings and made two timely singles himself to conquer Giants.

NATS BATTER CHISOX NINE IN 11 TO 3 WIN

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Tribe outfielder, contributed five straight singles.

Steve Gromek, rookie right hander, made his second start for the Indians and emerged with his first major league victory, although he permitted 11 hits.

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
McCoy, 2b	4	0	2	2	5	1
Moses, rf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Hayes, c	5	0	2	3	0	0
Johnson, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Siebert, 1b	2	1	0	9	0	0
Davis, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
S. Chapman, cf	4	1	2	3	0	0
F. Chapman, ss	4	0	0	1	2	1
Brancato, 3b	4	1	2	0	3	0
Ferrick, p	4	0	1	0	3	0
TOTALS	36	4	11	24	13	2

CLEVELAND	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Boudreau, ss	5	1	2	1	1	0
Peters, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weatherly, cf	5	2	2	4	0	0
Campbell, lf	5	3	5	0	0	0
Heath, rf	5	2	3	3	0	0
Grimes, 1b	5	1	1	7	0	0
Keltner, 3b	4	1	2	2	3	0
Mack, 2b	2	0	1	3	4	0
Desautels, c	4	0	1	7	0	0
Gromek, p	4	1	1	0	0	0
TOTALS	40	11	18	27	8	0

Philadelphia	100	210	000— 4
Cleveland	400	016	00x—11

Runs batted in: Heath 7, Keltner, Boudreau, Weatherly, Campbell, Hayes, Ferrick, McCoy, S. Chapman. Two-base hits: Moses, Hayes 2, Grimes, Keltner, Brancato. Three-base hit: S. Chapman, Heath. Home runs: Heath 2. Sacrifice: Mack. Double plays: Brancato to McCoy to Siebert, Keltner to Mack to Grimes 2, Brancato to McCoy to Davis. Left on bases: Philadelphia 11, Cleveland 6. Bases on balls: Off Gromek 6, Strikeouts: By Ferrick 3, Gromek 4. Umpires: McGowan, Quinn and Grieve. Time: 1:50. Attendance (estimated) 6,000 (2,000 paid).

YANKS WALLOP BROWNS

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Scoring all their runs in the third and fourth innings, the New York Yankees defeated the Browns Wednesday night, 11 to 1, for the 16th time this season.

The Brownies looked good the first two innings, taking a one-run lead in the opener, as starting Pitcher John Niggeling limited the Yankees to three hits.

But the New York artillery exploded in the third, teeing off with Tom Henrich's 25th home run of the season. Three more hits, two errors and a couple walks scored four more runs and Archie McKain was sent to the mound to stop the rout.

Although McKain terminated that spree, he was ineffective thereafter and Bill Trotter was drafted to stem the tide.

The box score:

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sturm, 1b	6	0	2	10	2	0
Rolfe, 3b	6	0	1	1	3	0
Henrich, cf	5	2	3	7	0	0
Keller, lf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Bordagaray, lf	2	1	0	0	0	1
Selkirk, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Dickey, c	4	2	3	4	1	0
Gordon, 2b	4	2	2	2	1	0
Rizzuto, ss	5	1	1	1	5	0
Bonham, p	4	0	2	2	1	0
TOTALS	42	11	17	27	13	1

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Heffner, 2b	4	0	0	1	2	1
Clift, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Laabs, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Judnich, cf	3	0	1	2	1	0
Cullenbine, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Grace, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Berardino, ss	2	0	0	0	2	0
Ferrell, c	3	0	0	8	1	0
Niggeling, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKain, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kramer, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trotter, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
TOTALS	29	1	3	27	8	2

Score by innings:

New York	005	600	000—11
St. Louis	100	000	000— 1

Runs batted in: Judnich, Henrich, Dickey 3, Rizzuto 3, Bonham, Gordon, Sturm. Two-base hits: Keller, Judnich, Gordon. Home run: Henrich. Sacrifice: Bonham. Double plays: Judnich to Ferrell, Berardino to Heffner to Cullenbine, Rizzuto to Gordon to Sturm. Left on bases: New York 9, St. Louis 3. Bases on balls: Off Bonham 2, Niggeling 3, McKain 1. Strikeouts: By Bonham 4, Niggeling 2, Trotter 3. Hits: Off Niggeling, 7 in 2 2-3 innings; McKain, 3 in 1-3 (none out in 4th); Kramer, 3 in 1-3; Trotter, 4 in 5 2-3. Losing pitcher: Niggeling. Umpires: Rommel, Basil and Passarella. Time: 1:55. Attendance: (paid) 13,146.

Early newsreel shots show that Wilhelm Hohenzollern used to mount his horse from a carpeted and bespangled step ladder.

FINDS HIS STOVE SOLD

GREENVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Widower Henry Duncan returned from his day's work and found that his four children (oldest 12) had sold a passing junk dealer every piece of movable iron in the house—including the kitchen stove. He hasn't been able to locate the man to buy them back yet.

The "ironclad oath" prescribed by congress in 1867 was one to be taken as a pledge of allegiance by citizens of the states which had formed the Confederacy.


GOODYEAR'

HOUSING SPACE IS CALLED FOR

Chamber Officials Say Serious Shortage Exists In Twin Cities

Stating that a serious housing shortage exists in the Twin Cities at present, officials of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday called on residence owners here who have apartment space available in their homes to contact local real estate dealers immediately, in order that vacant housing space might be made ready for the early influx of construction workers for the new ammonia plant near Sterlington.

"If Monroe and West Monroe are to avoid trailer camps, shacks and tents, the citizens must take it upon themselves to make accommodations for the incoming workers," George Holland, chamber secretary, said last night, following a meeting of local real estate dealers and chamber officials.

Residences where vacant space that might be converted into improvised apartments is available are also needed, Holland asserted.

He said that a recent survey indicated that less than a half-dozen apartments and no houses are available for rent in the Twin Cities now.

Since it is anticipated that construction on the plant will begin within a week or 10 days, approximately 200 men will be looking for residential accommodations, he declared. Nearly 1,500 persons are expected to be working before the plant is completed.

"Real estate dealers here, who will be in close contact with construction officials of the ammonia plant, would like to have as many as 200 apartments available within the next 30 days," Holland said.

Workers will be able to pay for good housing conditions, although they will be here for only a year or 13 months, it was pointed out.

"Local real estate dealers are the ones to be contacted by residence owners who have vacant space," Holland asserted. "The Chamber of Commerce is not going into the real estate field."

Nearing completion at a Dayton factory is a unique airplane with "rocking wings." George Cornelius is the designer who conceived the idea of movable wings capable of automatic adjustment to windstream variations to "take the bumps out" of flying.

RABBI HIRSCH SPEAKS TO KIWANIS CLUB HERE

"The Place of the Church in the Present Crisis" was discussed by Rabbi F. K. Hirsch of B'nai Israel temple at the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the Monroe Kiwanis club Wednesday at Hotel Virginia.

The program was arranged by E. N. Thompson, chairman of the club's committee on support of churches in their spiritual aims.

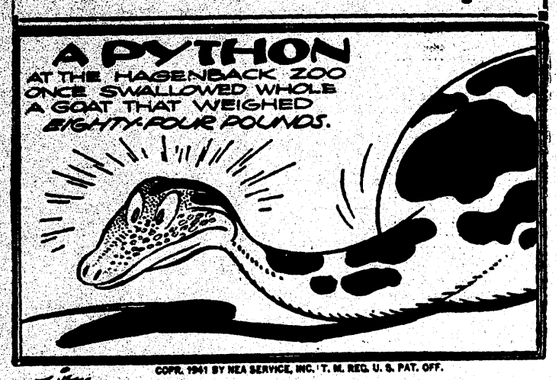
Guests were Major Neils I. Poulsen, army representative here; W. E. Hertel of Columbus, Ind.; Lieutenant L. H. Otejen of Leesburg, Fla., past president of the Kiwanis club there; R. L. Barr and Foster Wallace.

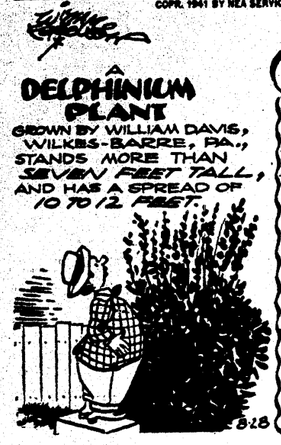
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THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson







Crossword Puzzle

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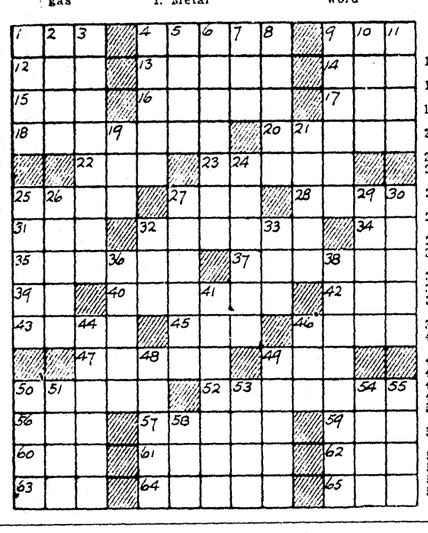
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4. Fruit
8. Sorrow
12. Old musical note
13. Untamed
14. Antique
15. Swiss river
16. Pulls apart
17. Color
18. Hangings
20. Eskimo hut
22. Pikelike fish
23. Correct
25. Acidity
27. Three: prefix
28. Town in Italy
31. Droop
32. Free cards of admission
34. Conjunction
35. Weapons of war
37. Constituent of illuminating gas
39. Comparative ending
40. Rhythmic break in a line of poetry
42. Write
43. Edible tuber
45. City in Minnesota
46. Part of a church
47. Seed coverings
49. Size of coal
50. Shutter
52. Disheveled
56. Lubricate
57. Entries in an account
59. Meadow
60. Poem
61. Florentine iris
62. Sin
63. Staff
64. Misery
65. Coloring agent

DOWN

1. Metal
2. Winglike
3. Addition of a meaningless sound at the end of a word
4. Behind
5. Equal
6. Supplications
7. Kind of ape
8. First name of an Oliver Wendell Holmes character
9. Spheres of life
10. Oil: comb. form
11. Root of the 43 Across
19. Nominal value of stock
21. Grind together
24. Wretchedness
25. Item of property
26. Genus of the goat
27. Hanging ornament
29. Sounds
30. Goddess of peace
32. Before: prefix
33. Greek letter
36. Fruit of the oak
38. Dismayed
41. Heavy overcoats
44. Scoffed
46. Roman bronze
48. Fool
49. Cat
50. Ill-mannered person
51. Italian seaside resort
53. Skip
54. Weird
55. Venture
58. Singing syllable

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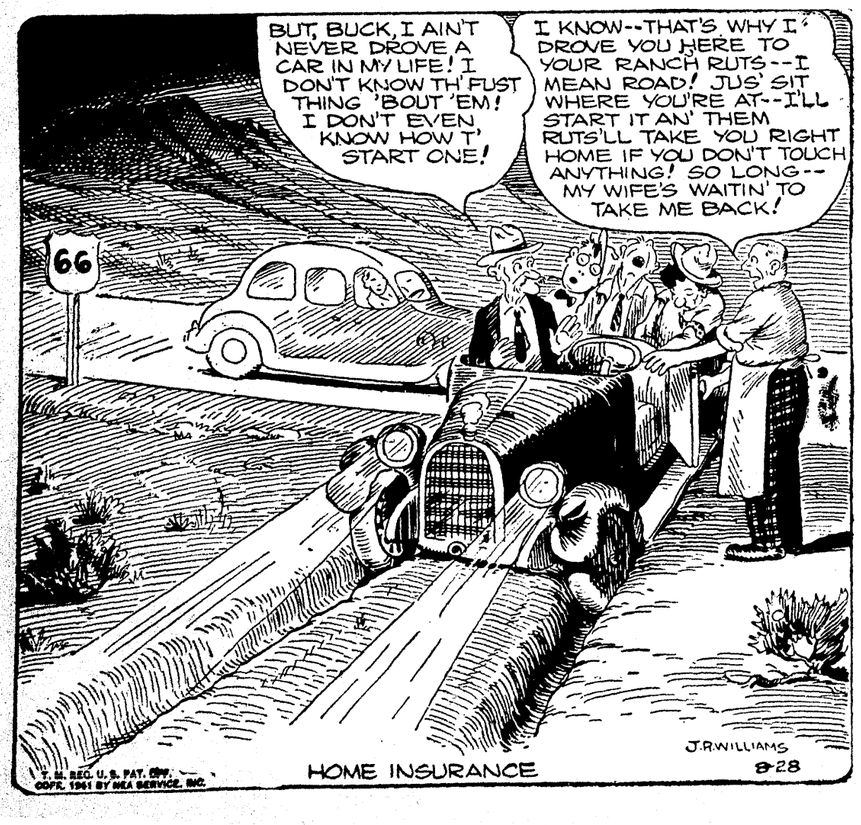
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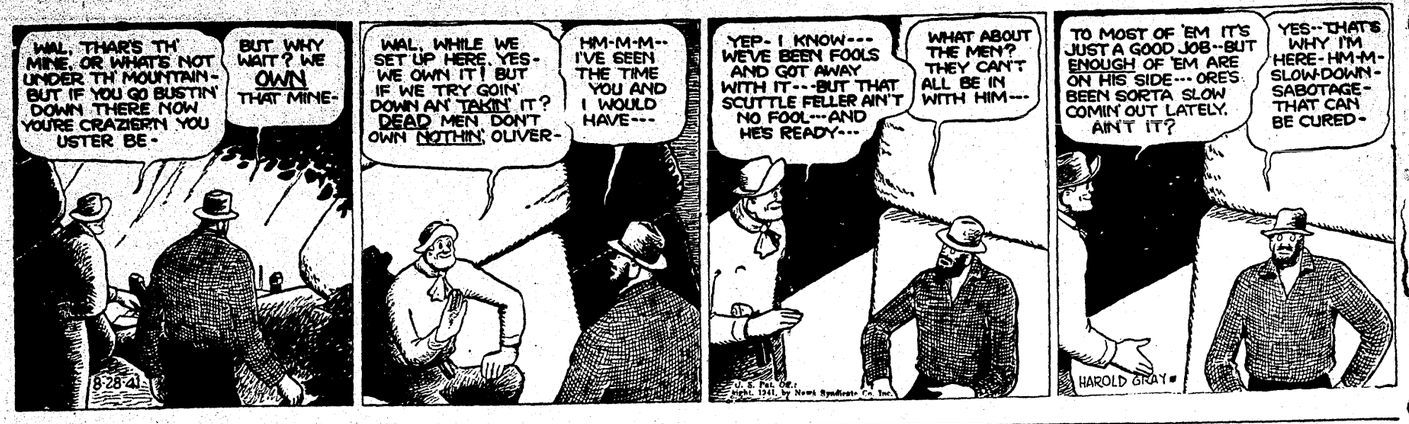
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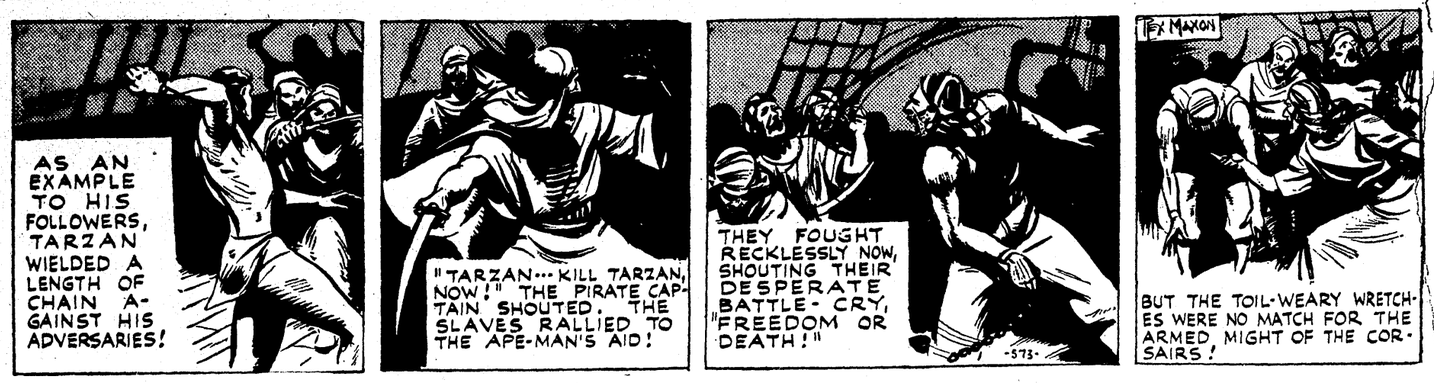
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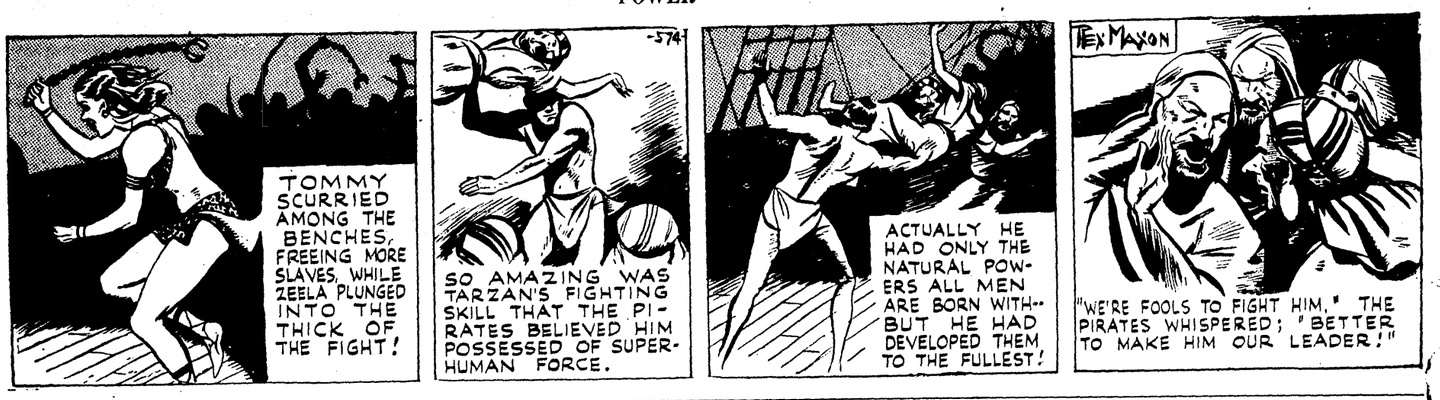
LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE WALK SOFTLY By Harold Gray



TARZAN FREEDOM OR DEATH By Edgar Rice Burroughs



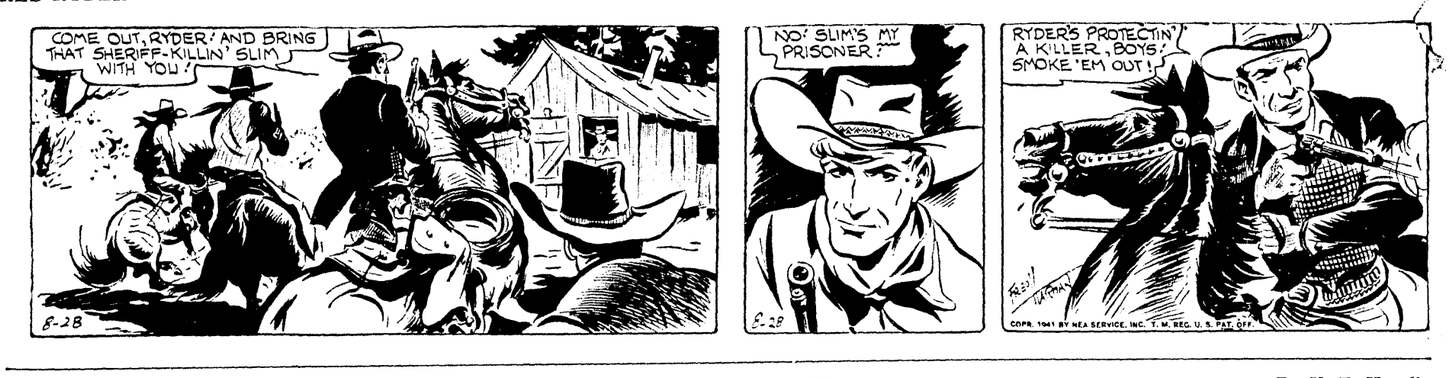
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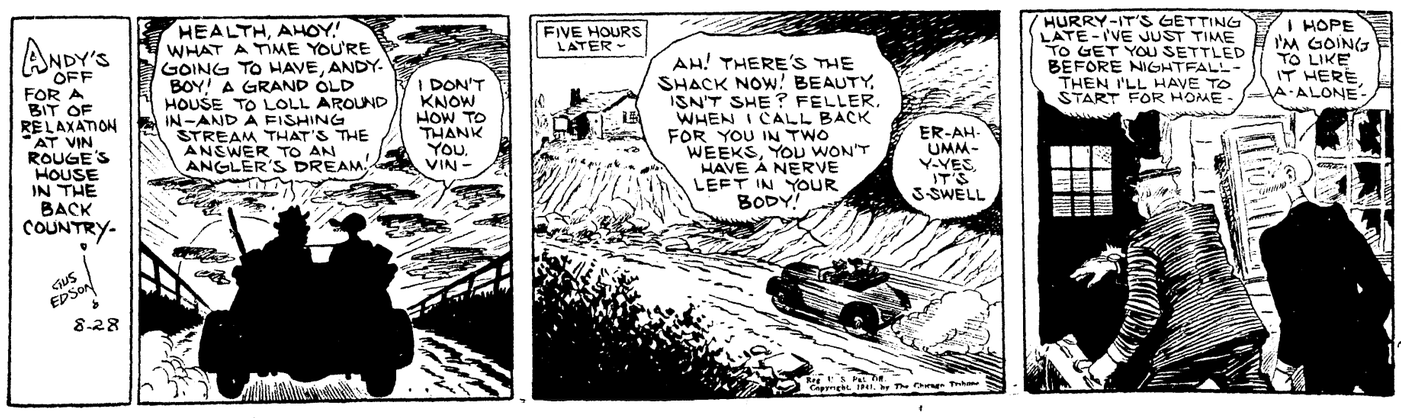
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THE GUMPS GETTING COLD FEET, ANDY? By Gus Edson



World's Latest Market News

COTTON

New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—(AP)—After early sizable advances in cotton futures here today the longs took profits and erased the gains. The market closed barely steady 5 points net lower to 1 point higher.

	Open	High	Low	Close		
Oct.	16.98	17.07	16.86	16.86-87	off	3
Dec.	17.05	17.26	16.97	17.00-02	off	5
Jan.	17.08b	....	....	17.05b	....	
Mch.	17.25	17.46	17.14	17.22	off	1
May	17.33	17.54	17.23	17.29-31	up	1
July	17.26	17.47	17.20	17.22b	....	

b—Bid.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady 2 points lower. Sales 1,927. Low middling 15.22, middling 16.52, good middling 16.97, receipts 1,956, stock 426,847.

New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Cotton futures advanced as much as $1 a bale today as persistent demand from trade and mill interests pushed values up for the third consecutive day.

Buying was influenced by unfavorable crop and insect reports and unwanted showers in the cotton belt. Hedging was light and as May reached the 17 1-2 cent level active profit taking caused the market to react partially.

Late afternoon prices were 12 to 16 points up, Oct. 17.00, Mch. 17.33 and May 17.43.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—A wave of spot house selling and commission house and local profit taking in the final hour of trading wiped out all early gains in cotton futures today.

Only small scale down support appeared on the drop and values reacted as much as $1.50 a bale from the day's best levels.

Futures closed 4 to 8 lower.

	Open	High	Low	Last		
Oct.	16.87	17.05	16.76	16.86n	off	6
Dec.	17.05	17.24	16.95	16.99	off	5
Jan.	17.10	17.18	17.02	17.02-03	off	4
Mch.	17.23	17.43	17.12	17.13-15	off	8
May	17.29	17.50	17.20	17.22	off	5
July	17.25	17.44	17.15	17.16n	off	7

Middling spot 17.38n, off 6.

n—Nominal.

Cottonseed Oil

New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Bleachable prime summer yellow 12.60n; prime crude 11.12 1-2b. Sept. 12.40b; Oct. 12.31b, Dec. 12.25, Jan. 12.22b, Mch. 12.37b.

b—Bid.

Sugar

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Firmness in raw sugar sustained trade demand for world futures today. Late prices were 3 1-2 to 3 higher after reacting on profit taking from highs which represented a new peak for the season. September 1.92 1-2; Mch. 1.96.

Domestic futures continued firm on trade covering, gaining 2 to 3 points; Sept. 2.69, Mch. 2.76.

Domestic raw and refined markets remained nominal.

Futures No. 3 closed 1 to 6 lower. Sales 4,050 tons. Sept. 2.62b; Jan 2.70b; March 2.71b.

No. 4 futures 1 1-2 to 2 1-2 higher Sales 10,000 tons. Sept. 1.91n; Dec. 1.95 1-2b; March 1.95 1-2b.

n—Nominal; b—Bid.

Livestock

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—(AP)—(USDA)—Salable hogs 10,000; total 15,000; market fairly active, most 10 higher on all weights but later trade slow with most of advance lost; good and choice 180-240 lbs. 11.75-12.10.

Salable sheep 2,000; total 8,500; spring lambs slow.

Salable cattle 4,000; calves 300; medium to average good grade steers 25 cents lower; strictly good to choice kind weak; top 12.40 for 1,300 lb. averages; fed heifers steady on light offerings but mostly 15-25 under week's high; best heifers 12.00; cows steady, slow; vealers 25-50 higher.

Potatoes

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—(AP)—(USDA)—Potatoes arrivals 69; on track 240; total U. S. shipments 242; supplies heavy, demand fair; Idaho Triumphs market stronger, cobblers market firm, russet Burbanks market slightly weaker, other varieties all sections market about steady; Idaho Bliss Triumphs U. S. No. 1, 2.00; russet Burbanks U. S. No. 1, 1.75-85; Iowa cobblers U. S. No. 1, 90; Nebraska cobblers U. S. No. 1, 95-1.10; Wisconsin Bliss Triumphs U. S. No. 1, 1.10-25; cobblers U. S. No. 1, 90-95; Minnesota and North Dakota Triumphs U. S. No. 1, 1.10-25; Minnesota cobblers U. S. No. 1, 1.00.

Butter And Eggs

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Butter receipts 917,418; firm; creamery, 93 score 36 1-2 to 37; 92. 36; other prices unchanged.

Eggs receipts 9,403; unsettled; fresh graded, firsts, cars 29; dirties 26 1-2; checks 26; other prices unchanged.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Buyers bid grain, soybeans and lard prices higher again today, wheat, oats and beans reaching new peaks since 1937 before reacting, due in some cases to increased profit taking.

Wheat closed unchanged to 3-8 lower, September $1.13 5-8 to 3-4, Dec. $1.17 5-8 to 3-4; corn 1-2 to 3-4 higher, Sept. 77 1-2, Dec. 81 3-8 to 1-2.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Sep.	1.14⅛-13⅞	1.14½	1.13⅛	1.13⅝-¾
Dec.	1.18-17⅞	1.18⅛	1.17⅜	1.17⅝-¾
May	1.21¼-21	1.21⅝	1.20⅛	1.20¾-⅞
CORN—				
Sep.	.77	.77⅛	.76¼	.77½
Dec.	.81-80⅞	.81¾	.80⅜	.81⅛-½
May	.85	.85⅞	.84⅞	.85½
OATS—				
Sep. new	....	....	....	.47⅜
Dec.	....	....	....	.48¾-⅞
May	....	....	....	.50½
SOY BEANS—				
Oct. old	....	....	....	1.50¼
Oct. new	....	....	....	1.58¼
Dec.	....	....	....	1.59¼
May	....	....	....	1.62⅞-63
LARD—				
Sep.	....	....	....	10.27
Oct.	....	....	....	10.50
Dec.	....	....	....	10.85

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Stocks slightly mixed; aircrafts advance. Bonds steady; rails add further gains. Foreign exchange quiet; British pound gains. Cotton lower; spot and commission house selling Sugar higher; firm raw market. Metals quiet; visible supply of copper drops. Wool tops steady; trade and local buying.

CHICAGO—Wheat easy; profit taking, hedging. Corn higher; government may raise selling price. Cattle weak to 25 lower; dressed beef lower. Hogs early 10-cent gain lost; top $12.15.

NEW YORK STOCKS

By Victor Eubank

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Aircrafts led a further specialized recovery shift in today's stock market but even these never got far off the ground.

Closing prices were a shade mixed in most departments.

Transfers for the full proceedings were in the neighborhood of 400,000 shares.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—The stock market played around with the idea of another modest rally today but most leaders seemed to lack rising stamina.

The direction was slightly upward at the start and dealings a shade more active than yesterday.

Continued upward tendencies of commodities helped sentiment. Bonds were narrowly uneven.

Boeing was among scattered stocks making new highs for the year.

On the upside now and then in a ragged curb were Bell Aircraft, Todd Shipyards, Sherwin Williams and Venezuelan Petroleum.

(FINAL QUOTATIONS)

Air Reduction	43
Alaska Juneau	4½
Alleghany Corporation	9 16
Allied Chemical & Dye	162½
Allied Stores	7⅝
Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing	28¾
American Can	83
American Car & Foundry	31⅜
American Hide & Leather	3½
American Locomotive	13½
American Metal	19½
American Power & Light	1⅛
American Rad & St S	6¼
American Rolling Mills	14⅝
American Smelting & Refining	42⅝
American Sugar Refining	18⅞
American Tel & Tel	155⅜
American Tobacco B	70
American Water Works	4⅝
Anaconda Copper	20⅛
Armour Illinois	4⅝
Armstrong Cork	28½
Associated Dry Goods	9¾
Atchison T & S F	28¾
Atlantic Coast Line	25¾
Atlantic Refining	21⅝
Atlas Corporation	6¾
Aviation Corporation	3⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	4¾
Barnsdall Oil	10¼
Bendix Aviation	39
Bethlehem Steel	70
Boeing Airplane	19⅞
Borden Company	20⅜
Borg-Warner Corporation	19½
Briggs Manufacturing	19¼
Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit	6⅛
Bucyrus-Erie Company	10¼
Budd Manufacturing	4¼
Bruggoughs Adding Machine	8½
Callfmet & Hecla	6⅞
Canada Dry Ginger Ale	15⅞
Canadian Pacific	4¾
Case J I Company	78
Caterpillar Tractor	48¼
Celanese Corporation	25⅜
Celotex Corporation	8½
Cerro De Pasco	32¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	38
Chi Pneu Tool	18½
Colgate-Palmolive-Peet	15
Columbian Carbon	80
Commercial Credit	24⅜
Commercial Investment Trust	31⅞
Commercial Solvents	11½
Commonwealth & Southern	1⅜
Consolidated Edison	17¼
Consolidated Oil	5⅝
Continental Can	36
Continental Insurance	45½
Chrysler Corporation	58
Coca-Cola Corporation	95
Columbia Gas & Electric	2¼
Continental Motor	3⅞
Continental Oil Delaware	24¼
Corn Products	52⅝
Crane Company	17
Crown Zellerbach	13⅝
Cuban-American Sugar	6⅞
Curtiss-Wright	9⅛
Curtiss-Wright A	2⅞
Deere & Company	25⅞
Delaware & Hudson	12⅜
Delaware Lack & Western	6
Distillers Corporation-Seagrams	16⅝
Dome Mines	16¼
Douglas Aircraft	72⅛
Du Pont De Nemours	156⅜
Eastman Kodak	141½
Electric Auto Lite	29⅜
Electric Boat	15¾
Electric Power & Light	1½
Engineers Public Service	3¾
Erie Railroad	2
Federal Motor Truck	3½
Firestone Tire & Rubber	17⅜
Flintkote Company	14¼
Freeport Sulphur	40⅜
General Electric	32⅝
General Foods	39¼
General Motor	39¼
Gillette Safety Razor	3½
Gimbel Brothers	8¼
Goodrich B F	19
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	19¼
Great Northern Iron Ore ctf	17¼
Great Northern Railway pf	26½
Greyhound Corporation	7¼
Gulf Mobile & Ohio	3½
Hecker Products	7⅝
Homestake Mining	47
Hudson Motor	3¾
Illinois Central	10
Industrial Rayon	25¼
Ingersoll-Rand Company	106½
Inspirational Copper	12¼
Interlake Iron	8⅝
International Business Machine	158
International Harvester	53¾
International Hydro-Electric A	1
International Nickel Can	27¾
International Paper & Power	19
International Tel & Tel	2⅜
Interst Dept Stores	12
Johns-Manville Products	67½
Kansas City Southern	5
Kennecott Copper	38⅝
Kroger Grocery	27½
Lehigh Port C	24
Lehigh Valley Railroad	5⅜
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	27¼
Liggett & Myers B	88
Lockheed Aircraft	28½
Loew's Incorporated	37¼
Lone Star Cement	43
Long Bell Lumber A	3⅜
Louisville & Nashville	68¾
Mack Trucks	30
Marine Midland	4⅛
Marshall Field	16¾
Masonite Corporation	24⅞
McKesson & Robbins	13⅛
Mengel Company	4⅞
Mid Cont Pet	16⅜
Minn Moline	3¾
Mission Corporation	13½
Missouri Kansas & Texas pf	2⅞
Montgomery Ward	34¾
Murray Corporation	6
Nash Kelvinator	4⅝
National Acme	19⅝
National Biscuit	16⅝
National Can	7¼
National Dairy Products	15
National Distillers	23½
National Gypsum	6½
National Lead	18
National Power & Light	5⅛
National Steel	84¼
National Supply	7⅝
Nehi Corporation	9
Newport Industries	10⅞
New York Central Railroad	12¾
Norfolk & Western	202
North American Aviation	14⅞
North American Company	13⅛
Northern Pacific	7⅝
Ohio Oil Company	8⅞
Omnibus Corporation	5¾
Otis Elevator	15⅝
Otis Steel Corporation	7½
Owens-Illinois Glass	49⅜
Pacific Gas & Electric	28
Packard Motor	3
Pan-American Airways	15⅜
Paramount Pictures	14¾
Pathe Film	14⅛
Patino Mines	10¼
Penney J C Company	87
Pennsylvania Railroad	23⅝
Phelps Dodge	32¼
Philip Morris	86⅛
Procter & Gamble	50¾
Public Service New Jersey	22½
Pullman Company	27¼
Pure Oil	9¾
Radio Corporation of America	4⅛
Reliance Manufacturing	12¼
Republic Steel	20¼
Reynolds Tobacco B	32⅛
Richfield Oil	10⅜
Safeway Stores	44½
Schenley Distillers	16¾
Sears Roebuck	73⅜
Servel Incorporated	7¼
Shell Union Oil	14⅛
Simmons Company	18¾
Skelly Oil Company	11⅛
Socony-Vacuum Oil	9¼
South American G & P	2½
Southern Pacific	14
Southern Railway	18
Sperry Corporation	36⅛
Spiegel Incorporated	8⅜
Standard Brands	5¾
Standard Oil California	23¼
Standard Oil Indiana	31½
Standard Oil New Jersey	43⅛
Stone & Webster	7⅜
Studebaker Corporation	5¾
Swift & Company	24⅜
Syming-Gould W W	6¾
Texas Corporation	42¾
Texas Gulf Sulphur	38⅜
Texas Pacific C & O	7⅜
Texas Pacific Land & Trust	5⅞
Thompson Starrett	1
Tide Water A Oil	10⅜
Timken Detroit Axle	33¼
Trans & West Air	11⅞
Twentieth Century-Fox Film	8¼
Union Bag & Paper	11¼
Union Carbide	79⅜
Union Oil California	15⅜
Union Pacific	82
United Air Lines	11⅛
United Aircraft	41½
United Corporation	9 16
United Drug	5½
United Fruit Company	71⅛
United Gas Imp	7¼
United States Gypsum	50
United States Industrial Alcohol	33⅛
United States Rubber	24¼
United States Smelting R & M	63¼
United States Steel	58
United Stores A	11⅜
Vanadium Corporation	25⅛
Walworth Company	5
Ward Baking B	⅝
Warner Brothers Pictures	5½
Western Union	28
Westinghouse Air Brake	22¾
Westinghouse Electric & Mfg	92½
White Motor	15¼
Wilson & Company	6¼
Woolworth F W	29⅝
Yellow Truck & Coach	15
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	38⅛

Poultry

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Small hens, Plymouth Rock springs and ducks firmer, balance steady; hens 5 lbs. and down 17 1-2; springs 4 lbs. up Plymouth Rock 18 1-2; under 4 lbs. Plymouth Rock 18 1-2; ducks 4 1-2 lbs. up colored 14, white 14 1-2, small, colored 12 1-2, white 12 1-2; other prices unchanged.

Y'S MEN TO HELP AT SOLDIER CENTER

Two members of the Y's Men's club will be on hand each night until closing time at the soldiers' recreation center on North Fourth street to assist with the activities, it was decided at a meeting Wednesday night.

The club is responsible for the rear part of the recreation center, which has been equipped with cots and showers for the convenience of the military men.

The international convention of the Y's Men held in Memphis, Tenn., August 17, 18 and 19 was the program topic, directed by Bob Hanna. John Madden, former international president, who was in charge of the entire convention program, reported on his work. Eddie Fitzpatrick described the open forum sessions which he attended, and Leon Hammonds showed color films depicting convention scenes. Harry Lemert and I. F. Bennett also spoke briefly on their impressions of the sessions.

A guest at the meeting was Hodge Mason, of Austin, Tex., a former member of the club here.

LEFT IN OCEAN BY STEAMER, RESCUED

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 28.—(AP)—A 17-year-old mess boy who tumbled from an ocean liner which steamed on survived today to tell the story.

William Allred leaned far over the deck rail of the liner Matsonia as it neared Los Angeles harbor. He fell into the ocean about five miles off Point Fermin.

No one saw his plunge in the fog or heard his cries. The Matsonia left him behind. Allred shed his outer garments and swam for nearly an hour. Then his legs began to cramp. Again he shouted almost hopelessly for help.

Suddenly a navy boat loomed close out of the fog. A life preserver swished out to him and he was pulled aboard. He was taken in a coast guard boat back to the Matsonia.

LINDY WILL SPEAK IN SANDLOT PARK

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Charles A. Lindbergh and Senator Burton K. Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, denied the use of Municipal auditorium tomorrow night, will speak at a sandlot ball park just outside the city limits.

When local protests caused the city council to cancel the reservation for the auditorium, offers of rally sites elsewhere poured in on the local America First committee which is sponsoring the talks.

Herbert K. Hyde, chairman of the committee, said the sandlot park has seating facilities for 10,000 persons.

The 1940 census reported 13,521 tourist courts and camps in the United States.

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Monroe, La.
Aug. 28, Sept. 2, Sept. 5, 1941.

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Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

Copies of specifications are on file in the office of L. Milton King, architect, A. I. A., Ouachita National Bank Building, Monroe, Louisiana, and at the office of the Department of Institutions, 20th floor state capitol, Baton Rouge, La., and will be open for public inspection and may be obtained upon request.

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Monroe, La.,
Aug. 22, 28, Sept. 4, 1941.

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TOWN WORRIED BY MOSQUITOES

Softball Teams Forfeit Rest Of Season To Pesky Insects

CENTRALIA, Ill., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Their war cry—bzzzz! bzzzz!—wouldn't frighten a mouse. A baby's hand could cream a dozen. But mosquitoes today have Centralia crying "uncle."

Fourteen husky managers of municipal softball teams last night voted to forfeit the rest of the season's games to the insects—the third team at every contest—unless there's an early frost.

Only the weather, they agreed, could stop the mosquitoes. Human efforts to play out the schedule by spraying players and spectators with man-made insectitude was partially successful but abandoned because of the cost.

This was the latest of a series of triumphs for the invading insect army. They have the city so helpless the mayor appealed to the state health department for a pied piper to stem the assault. An expert from the University of Illinois was dispatched but Centralia hasn't been as fortunate as story-book Hamlin Town.

Science's name for the mosquito is "aedes sollicitan." It is better known as the New Jersey salt marsh mosquito. Uncommon to Illinois, it has found a swamp near here in which to breed. Salt water from oil wells seeps into the marsh.

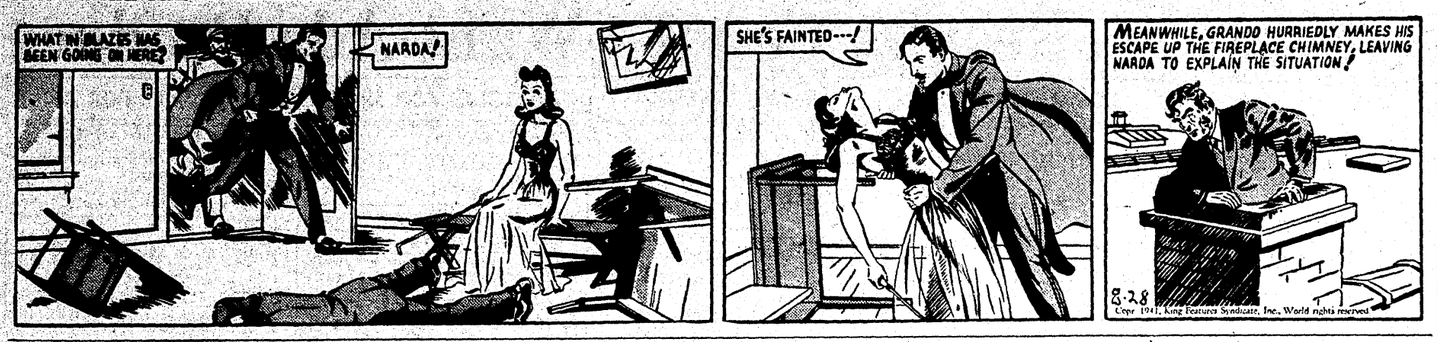
The skeeters became vicious in July. Although large, they have no equal in negotiating screens.

One farmer near town abandoned an attempt to harvest his truck garden because the mosquitoes drove him out of the field. Milk production was reduced because other farmers had to keep their cows in barns.

The city swimming pool closes prematurely at 7 p.m., because bathers provide too tender a bite. Drug stores long ago sold out of chemical repellents.

As a last resort, the town tried to nip the mosquitoes at their source—drain the swamp. But the insects' blitz won there, too. They routed the laborers in three hours.

MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN — ESCAPE WITHOUT A TRACK! — By Lee Falk and Phil Davis



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Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day.

When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 60 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

GAS GALS LIKE STATION WORK

Former Typist Says It's More Exciting Than Dictation

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—(AP)—You working gals who've been pining your heart out to become the boss' secretary might be overlooking something just as good in the gasoline station business.

"It's much more exciting than dictation," declares 25-year-old Dorothy Wilson, a former typist and one of seven girls being tested as station attendants.

The Sun Oil company is experimenting with the "gas girls" to see if they could replace men in event of a labor shortage due to the defense program.

And they're doing all right so far, at least considering the traffic they're detouring into a suburban station where they're performing after a week of schooling.

Chosen for ability and charm among some 500 applicants, the six blondes and a brunette got their first actual test in public yesterday, servicing radiators and windshields, inflating tires, dishing out gas and oil and keeping station records—all of which is to bring them $100 monthly.

"To me it's a matter of serving oil instead of peach pie," commented 21-year-old Sophie Boychuck, former chain restaurant waitress.

"I'd rather serve oil because it means working outdoors. My boy friend thinks the job's a great idea—he's going to drive by to see me."

She's a pleasing sight, too, in her snappy blue culottes—those cute divided skirts, you know—Sam Browne, belt and overseas cap.

There are other advantages to the outfit, said Marion Jacobs, 24-year-old former office worker who pointed to her lisle-stockinged leg and wisecracked:

"We're ahead of the styles already no worrying about silk stockings because we are required to wear lisle on this job."

Geraldine Fearon, 26, had definite ambitions in her new profession after just two hours of work, declaring, "I'd like to be a station manager some day."

Flirtatious motorists won't annoy Geraldine, either, because "I'll tactfully evade them," quoth she from the Sun Oil's handbook for "gas girls."

Also on the job are Berget Hollman, 21, Venetta Nogar, 25, and Helen L. Rawlinson, 23, who agree "it's fun working."

All of which Station Salesman James Fitzpatrick took in stride and observed, "I guess you'd get used to them after a while."

The War Today

By DeWitt MacKenzie
(Associated Press Foreign Affairs Writer)

Another Anglo-Russian sensation of the near future is likely to be the creation of a joint fighting front in the Caucasus, or so it seems to me—a move which will be hastened if the Germans continue to advance eastward along the coast of the Black sea.

The Nazi threat is emphasized in the report from Berlin today that the invaders have captured the industrial railway center of Zaporozhe, east of the lower Dnieper river. The significance of this lies in the fact that Hitler's troops should have effected a crossing of this great stream in sufficient force to take a big city.

The establishment of a joint front is logical strategy in view of the allied occupation of Iran (Persia) which gives the British an open road into Russia. That left flank of the Soviet defenses, running through the Caucasus between the Black sea and the Caspian, must be protected at all hazards. The reasons are these:

1. First off, Persia is the keystone for control of the whole near east and middle east. It would be a disaster for the allies if Hitler got it.

2. The Russians must hold the ports on the east coast of the Black sea unless they are to lose control of that vital water altogether.

3. Since the Caucasus is the gateway into Persia, and thence to the open sea, it's one of Russia's lifelines, and may become the chief route for supplies from America and other sources.

4. The Caucasus also provides a door to Turkey, and it is essential from the allied standpoint that the Turks shouldn't come under Hitler's domination.

5. Quite apart from Persia's oil, the Caucasus has wells which would be worth more to the Nazi chief than gold or principalities at this juncture when there is danger that the wheels of the German war machine may go dry for lack of lubricants.

The sending of such an expeditionary force into the Caucasus may be the first major assistance the British will give the Reds on land. Moscow has been pressing England to create a diversion, other than the bombing of Germany, to relieve the Nazi pressure on the Russian front.

Now the creation of a worthwhile diversion is easier said than done. Most military experts hold that it would be foolhardy for Britain to attempt an invasion of western Europe while the Nazis remain so strong. It would be silly to believe that the astute German high command has overlooked the possibility of such a move and left itself unprotected along the English channel.

A British attempt at a major landing might result in utter catastrophe. Raids of moderate size can be carried out, of course, and ultimately the grand invasion can and will be attempted if Hitler is sufficiently weakened to make the attempt feasible.

Here we may well note that we have a rather unusual situation in the alliance between Britain and the Reds. John Bull and the Russian bear make strange bedfellows. It is an ironic circumstance that it was the Bolshevists who greased the wheels of Hitler's war chariot by signing the nonaggression pact with him. Then the Muscovites rendered the fuehrer both moral and material support until he turned on them.

Thus it's safe to assume that while the British naturally will do all possible to aid Russia to the mutual benefit of the alliance, neither sentimental nor political motives will enter into the transactions. What I mean is, the British aren't likely to do for the Bolshevists what they did for Greece when, to make good their bond, they sent a military expedition, knowing full well that it must meet defeat, barring unexpected help from Olympus.

Defense of the Caucasus, however, is just plain business. When winter shuts down on Herr Hitler he isn't going to sit down and wait to be frozen to death. He's going to keep on attacking at any feasible points. The shores of the Black sea provide the most likely terrain.

The British probably have a quarter million allied troops in the near east and these must be pretty well equipped now, thanks in large degree to American shipments. They also have at least half a million Indian soldiers ready for action, and another half million will be under arms soon. Certainly Britain could provide a very useful contingent for the defense of the Caucasus.

And listen! The famous General Wavell, commander-in-chief in India and the middle east, had two years' experience in trans-Caucasia with the Anglo-Russian forces during the World war. That's worth more than a knock in the eye to the allies.

RICHLAND SCHOOL OPENING PUT OFF

RAYVILLE, La., Aug. 28.—(Special)—The opening of Richland parish schools, originally scheduled for September 15, has been postponed until further notice, J. B. Thompson, Jr., parish superintendent of schools, said today.

The opening will not be later than October 6, but the definite date will be set by the parish school board at its meeting on September 2, Superintendent Thompson said.

The decision to postpone the opening was made because of the possibility of congested traffic caused by the army maneuvers in this section in September. Despite the postponement, all schools will be conducted for a full nine-month term, Superintendent Thompson said.

GIVES OLD AGE RECIPE

EUFORA, Miss., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Jim Walton, vagabond newspaperman and director of the Sam Dale society, who will be 90 years old Sunday, said today the secret of reaching a ripe old age was to "stay away from strong drink, eat wholesome food and skip the night life stuff." Walton said "I expect to live well into my next 100 years after completing my first 100 ten years hence."

NOT MANY INVITED GUESTS SEE WEDDING

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Robert P. Gibb, of Far Hill, N. J., and Mrs. Willets Jenkins, of Easthampton, N. Y., and Warrenton, Va., are now Mr. and Mrs. Gibb, but few of their invited Park avenue guests saw the wedding.

The ceremony was scheduled for the Central Presbyterian church, Park avenue, yesterday afternoon.

Before the time of the planned ceremony, however, the bride discovered that her marriage license, obtained in Suffolk county, was not valid in Manhattan because she had given her Virginia address in obtaining it.

Thus, while the guests were quietly directed away from the church to a nearby Park avenue apartment, the bridal pair chartered a special airplane, flew to Islip, Suffolk county, had the ceremony performed at the Islip Presbyterian church and then flew back to New York for the reception.

COMMUNISTS ARRESTED

ZURICH, Switzerland, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Numerous Communists were arrested here today for distributing propaganda.

To cut down on weeds in the garden, keep the weeds from going to seed this time of the year.

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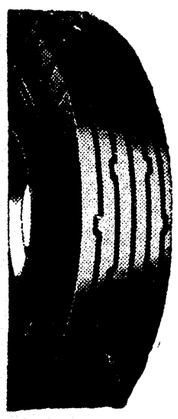
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EXCESS PENALTY SET ON COTTON

Seven Cents Per Pound Is New Penalty For Excess Marketing

Cotton producers of Ouachita parish have been notified by G. J. Durbin, parish administrative officer, that the United States department of agriculture has set the excess marketing penalty for the 1941 cotton crop at seven cents a pound, 50 per cent of the basic loan rate of 14.02 cents per pound on seven-eighths inch middling cotton. The 1940 penalty rate was three cents a pound.

While the new penalty rate is four cents higher than that on the 1940 crop, the new loan rate is more than five cents above that of last year, which was 8.90 cents per pound, Mr. Durbin pointed out.

Establishment of the penalty rate was provided for by congress in an amendment to the agriculture adjustment act of 1938. This legislation set a basic loan rate for farmers cooperating with the AAA program for the 1941 crop at 85 per cent of cotton parity prices as of August 1. At the same time it provided that the penalty on marketing excess cotton be placed at 50 per cent of the basic loan rate.

The parity price of cotton on August 1 was 16.49 cents a pound, which made the basic loan rate for seven-eighths inch middling cotton 14.02 cents. Thus, the penalty rate was set at half this figure, or seven cents a pound. This will be a flat rate applicable to the marketing of all 1941 excess cotton regardless of grade or staple.

KILLS TWO DEER WITH ONE BULLET

SANTA ROSA, Calif., Aug. 28.—(AP)—On her first hunting trip, 17-year-old Sally Heaney got her season's limit of two deer—with one bullet.

Game Warden George Johnson confirmed that the girl's bullet passed through the neck of a big four-pointer, then entered the head of a forked horn buck standing nearby.

Sally, daughter of John W. Heaney of Santa Barbara, was hunting near Cloverdale yesterday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

People's Homestead and Savings association to William L. and Georgia M. Vanderford, lot 3 of the Guy Hollingsworth and R. J. Mims subdivision of the south portion of lot D between the Arkansas road and the north line of section 21, $2,425.

Berry Stock farm to Abraham Barto North, lot 5 of Jonesboro road subdivision, $168.60.

Asia, Inc., to Roland Siegle, lot 16 of square 19 of Morningside extension, subdivision of Masonic plantation, $200.

CITY COURT

W. M. Harper, Judge

Filmore Sellers, charged with trespassing, found guilty, 60 days; Jessie Keith, charged with drawing and displaying a dangerous weapon, found guilty, $12.50 or 12½ days; O. L. Crowder, charged with drawing and displaying a dangerous weapon, found guilty, $25 or 25 days; Durwood Franks, charged on two counts of disturbing the peace, found guilty, $27.50 or 27½ days.

Ellis Higgins, charged with drawing and displaying a dangerous weapon, discharged; Elwood C. Wilson, charged with disturbing the peace, found guilty, $7.50 or 7½ days; A. C. Leach, charged with fighting and disturbing the peace, found guilty, $37.50 or 37½ days; Marvin Daily, Clyde C. Moss and W. Burkhardt, all charged with disturbing the peace, found guilty, $7.50 or 7½ days each. Sentence was suspended in Burkhardt's case. Leander Skinner, charged with disturbing the peace, found guilty, $60 or 60 days.

Three persons were fined $5 each for traffic violations and 15 $1 fines were imposed for traffic violations.

THREE CRITICALLY BURNED

SAN JOSE, Calif., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Five men were burned, three critically in a fire today in the new $12,000,000 magnesium plant at Monta Vista. The plant, producing magnesium by secret process for defense work, started operation Monday. The FBI was called in to investigate the blaze.

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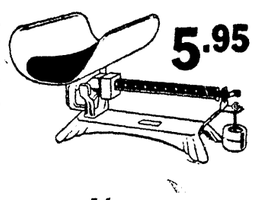
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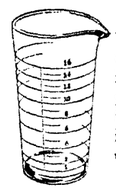
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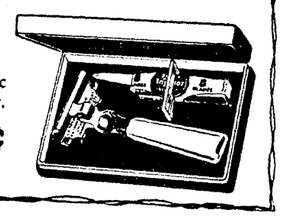


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